

Dixon Stores Will be Closed from 12 to 3 o'clock p.m. Tomorrow

DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

FORECAST
Probable light snow
and colder tonight
and tomorrow

GOOD FRIDAY
Will be observed in
Dixon from noon to
3 p. m. tomorrow

EIGHTY-EIGHTH YEAR Number 69

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DIXON, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1940

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FIRE INSURANCE RATES IN DIXON MAY BE LOWERED

Will Likely Come Down After Standardization Project Is Ended

Chief Sam Cramer and the members of the fire department are engaged in an activity which will require several weeks, to bring the Dixon fire department equipment to a standard recommended by the National Board of Fire Underwriters. The task involves the standardization of fire hose and hydrants throughout the entire city.

The necessary equipment, consisting of hoses, gauges, taps, dies and expansion tools has been loaned to the Dixon department by the National Underwriters and the firemen have started the long task of standardizing the couplings on the several hundred sections of fire hose. Later the 270 city fire hydrants and several additional private hydrants will be standard to conform to the nation-wide regulations. Chief Cramer estimates that the task will require several weeks work.

The fire departments of Sterling, Rock Falls and Morrison, in this vicinity have adopted the national standards prescribed by the underwriters, but several surrounding departments are using equipment which does not meet the specifications, according to the Dixon fire chief.

Many Sized Couplings
As an example of the lack of standardization, Chief Cramer stated today, more than a hundred sizes of couplings are in use throughout the United States. Amboy uses a coupling in its fire fighting department, which in the event of an emergency, would not fit the Dixon equipment. However, the fire chiefs of Dixon and Amboy have provided a special coupling which can be used by either department in the event that they would be called to assist the other in a serious fire.

With the standardization completed, Dixon would be entitled to a reduction of fire insurance rates, it is expected. The Dixon Water company has met the standard requirements by making the required connections and additions from the pumps at the pumping plant on East River street into the water mains.

Two years ago, the fire insurance rates in Dixon were reduced 10 per cent by the board of National Underwriters, this reduction resulting from the small fire losses in recent years. Last year and additional five per cent reduction was made in Dixon on certain classifications of fire insurance, making a total of a 15 per cent reduction in less than three years to residents and industries in Dixon.

Two British Liners Out In Uncertain Sea Today

New York, March 21—(AP)—Two of the proudest liners of the British merchant fleet ploughed uncertain waters today in a gamble with war-time hazards of the high seas.

Slightly more than 12 hours after the 35,739 ton Mauretania slipped out through a misty rain from the pier where she had been tied up for three months, the giant Queen Mary passed down the bay. The destination of the two liners was known only to their commanders, who sailed under sealed orders, not to be opened until they were well at sea, but presumably sending them on dangerous missions as troop ships.

Both liners were drab in their camouflage gray, their windows blackened and all signs of identity blotted out.

FDR Is Confined to His Room With Swamp Fever

Washington, March 21—(AP)—President Roosevelt was confined to his room again today with what he facetiously called "swamp fever."

A secretary, Stephen Early, said the President's temperature was normal last night but was up again this morning to 99.4 degrees, eight-tenths of a degree above normal.

"He is in grand shape," Early said, "and nobody is worried and nobody is concerned."

ARTISTIC DISPLAY

Festoons of Spanish moss form an unusual overhead setting for an artistic display of Easter flowers which is attracting the attention of passersby at Cook's Flower shop. Huge banks of potted plants, together with hydrangeas, azaleas, African violets, cut flowers and dozens of pure-white lilies fill show windows and display tables with color and fragrance. Mr. Cook states that he is supplied with more than 500 lilies and associated Easter plants.

Sweepstakes

Minneapolis, Mar. 21—(AP)—George Bestrom got so tired having friends ask when his first prize-and-joy was due that he started the "Bestrom baby sweepstakes."

Now when they ask he sells them a ticket at \$1 a chance—29 have bought.

The sweepstakes has a slogan: "You pay your money and you name the time."

It has a handicap: "The best medical authority indicates about April 6."

It is limited to "Amateurs". The race is: "Name the date and hour."

The raffle-off is: "A 10-c administrative fee deducted from each \$1 by the sponsor" (Bestrom).

The expectant father said he wasn't sure whether "my wife is going to moider me for this" but since everyone seemed so interested in the event he decided to cash in "because it is costing me a lotta dough".

Terse News

PIONEER IS DEAD

William C. Peugh, 87, one of Whiteside county's oldest citizens, died Wednesday on the same farm which his parents had purchased from the government for 90 cents an acre.

MADE GUARDIAN

At a guardianship hearing conducted before Judge Grover Gehant in County court yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Dorothy Lightner of Rockford was granted the custody of Betty Lou Cable, daughter of the late Mrs. Josie Cable of this city, whose death occurred March 9.

CANDIDATE HERE

Atty. George F. Barrett of Chicago, Republican candidate for attorney general of the State of Illinois was a visitor in Dixon yesterday. Mr. Barrett is finding marked enthusiasm for his candidacy all over the state and in Cook county.

SALES MANAGER

Donald D. McMahon of Neenah, Wis., has accepted the position of sales manager for George Netts & Co., of this city and has established his residence at 308 Third street. Mr. McMahon has

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Stelle Hints at Calling Session of Legislature

Springfield, Ill., March 21—(AP)—Lieut. Governor John Stelle continued the controversy over Governor Horner's illness today by hinting strongly that he might declare himself acting governor and summon a special session of the legislature.

Stelle, insurgent Democratic candidate for governor, said in a prepared statement that delegations had been requesting that he call a special legislative session to liberalize the old age pension law. "I believe it is absolutely necessary that such a session be called," Stelle's statement continued. "The pleas of the delegations make me feel that the time is drawing near when the responsibility for calling the General Assembly into special session may fall on me."

Would Be Precedent

Since only the governor can call the General Assembly into extra session, Stelle's statement was generally interpreted as a threat to assume the acting governorship. The lieutenant governor has charged repeatedly that Horner has been "disabled" by his long illness. Recently Stelle said attorneys advised him that he could take over the acting governorship under the disability clause of the state constitution.

Stelle recently criticized Horner administration leaders for failure to amend the old age assistance law to provide maximum pensions of \$40 monthly, instead of the present \$30. Federal aid for the higher pensions became effective January 1.

Stelle gave no indications when he might seek to summon the legislature. What would happen if such an attempt were made before the April 9 primary caused wide speculation here. Statehouse veterans said no similar attempt ever has been made by a lieutenant governor in the state's history.

Brother, Ponder This: Average Woman Spends More for Hose Than for Gowns

Washington, March 21—(AP)—The next time you see a pair of silk stockings go tripping down the street, ponder this, brother: Many a woman spends more on them than on dresses.

It has all been figured out by the labor department, which has been doing a little plain and fancy investigating on what city folks spend on clothes.

The average woman invests over one-eighth of a \$55 clothing budget at the stocking counter. To be exact she spends \$7.61 for hosiery. (That's a little more than 11 pairs at 69 cents each).

FLORIDA WOMAN EXPECTS QUINTS; SIGNS FOR PAPER

Trades Rights for News, Pictures, Etc. for Period of Rest

Miami, Fla., March 21—(AP)—Enriched by an agreement that provides funds and medical care, Mrs. Katherine Callahan, who hopes to become a mother of quintuplets, rested today in a hospital suite far more luxurious than her one room, \$2.50 a week apartment.

But she was not a willing patient. Her physician, Dr. Arthur W. Wood, who earlier confirmed that x-ray photographs apparently showed five distinct heads of unborn babies, had to persuade the mother that a period of rest was necessary.

"I'm not sick," she asserted, and demanded to be permitted to join her husband, Emory, 30-year-old furniture factory woodworker who earns \$15 weekly.

Today the Miami Herald, whose owner, John S. Knight, placed the Callahans under contract for exclusive publication rights of photographs and news, planned to lease a new home for them where nursing and medical attention would be constantly available.

The Herald's agreement provided the prospective mother with an undisclosed sum of money, the services of Dr. Wood and specialists if the physician desires to call them, and all hospital expenses, including nurses, as well as income from news and pictures.

Normal Birth Date May 20

Normally, the babies would be born May 20. Medical men pointed out, however, that multiple births usually are premature. The mother, a small, brown-haired, blue-eyed woman, has gained 20 pounds in recent months. She weighs 128 now, but her condition was declared to be excellent by Dr. Wood.

The husband's father, Thomas C. Callahan of Thomasville, Ga., was a twin, but no other multiple births have been recorded in the family.

The couple came to Miami in October, 1939, from Thomasville. They were married in Cullman, Ala., June 17, 1939. Mrs. Callahan is the adopted daughter of E. L. Duren of Amory, Miss., a ticket agent for the Mississippi-Tennessee railroad.

The Callahans are pleased that fate apparently has selected them for the event with a mathematical probability of 1 in 57,000,000.

"I hope they're all boys," said the mother. "Emory likes boys."

She said she wanted a family of 12 children "and it's all right with me if there are two sets of quintuplets and twins."

Dixonites Will Miss Thrill of Seeing Ice Go Out in High Water

Dixonites, this spring, will miss the annual thrill of witnessing the ice moving out in Rock river, according to all indications. One small patch of ice tumbled over the dam yesterday afternoon, which is the only indication of the spring clearing of the river. The condition is attributed to the low stage of water late last fall, which continued throughout the winter.

The river is reported to be open from Oregon to Rockford and only small fields below the Grand Detour bridge. Some gorging was reported in the vicinity of the whirl pool rock early in the week, but it has since disappeared, with only small patches of badly rotted ice remaining east of the dam. The low stage of water held the ice fast above the dam, which slowly rotted out and all of the tributary creeks are reported cleared.

Fortnight's Menu

Washington, Mar. 21—(AP)—The Sportsman's Luncheon Club—an organization that eats anything which comes out of the woods, sky or water—today announced its menu for the next two weeks, designed to test to the utmost the loyalty of its members.

Entree number one will be filet of rattlesnake.

The second will be burnished mountain lion.

Shoes are the biggest item—\$7.55. Dresses come third, a mere \$6. The working girl spends a little more, especially if she is a clerical worker; the homemaker much less.

The mere male provides no such startling statistics. His big money comes every two years, when he gets a new suit, price \$24. Annually he spends \$6 less for haberdashery, etc., than women do for their accessories.

All the figures were based on a 1934-36 survey, with the family income of those questioned averaging \$1,524 a year.

Fanaticism

Pittsburgh, Mar. 21—(AP)—Emmanuel Shapiro, 22-year-old evangelist, chopped off his left hand in the basement of a church today after severing a finger on his right hand in an apparent attempt to cut off that hand.

A janitor found him and rushed out to call police, but before they arrived Shapiro started for the home of his parents more than a mile distant. Police picked him up two hours later and rushed him to a hospital. He refused to discuss his act.

Dave Garvin, the janitor, said the evangelist had fixed a butcher knife in a vice, laid his left wrist against the knife and hacked off the hand with a hatchet.

Franklin Grove Camp Grounds to Be Rehabilitated

The historic Methodist camp meeting ground at Franklin Grove has passed into new ownership and present plans indicate that the site is to be the scene of important activities during the coming summer.

The tract of land consisting of slightly more than eight acres at the west limits of Franklin Grove has been sold on contract to a religious organization and work has been started on a complete renovation of the buildings and grounds.

Rev. Billy Opie of California and his family have moved to Franklin Grove where he is superintending the general overhauling of the place. He has extensive plans for the future of the historic property which has been the site of the Rock River district camp meetings of the Methodist churches since about 1882. In the past the location has been the scene of many weeks of activities which were attended by thousands of persons.

Plan for Young People

Business men of Franklin Grove and private individuals financed the camp meeting site and while attempts were made to revive activities, these proved unsuccessful and recently the property was turned back to the local group. For the past three years only minor activities have been undertaken and these met with but limited success.

Many of the buildings are in a bad condition and have been maliciously damaged. One asset to the grounds is the swimming pool, which has been maintained.

The pool is to be repaired and the buildings to be overhauled and other departments added, it is understood. A recreation ground is to be added and the new promoters hope to bring several thousand young people to the site during the summer months, from all sections of the country. Other religious workers who will assist Rev. Opie, who is to serve as general superintendent, will move their families to Franklin Grove within a few weeks to assist in rehabilitating the property.

**Double Funeral Friday
for Amboy Woman, Son**

A double funeral service will be held at St. Patrick's Catholic church in Amboy at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning for Mrs. Joseph Rapp, 33, and her son James, 8, who met death in an automobile accident west of Shabbona early Tuesday morning. The Rev. Fr. Robert C. Troy, will officiate and burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The inquest into the deaths has been continued until next week by the DeKalb county coroner, Dr. R. P. Culver.

SECOND VICE PRESIDENT

Miss Helen Malmberg of Lee, a junior at the University of Illinois, has been elected second vice president of the Women's League of the university and will be president of the residence government system for unorganized students.

The Weather

THURSDAY, MAR. 21, 1940
(By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and Vicinity: Mostly cloudy with occasional light snow probable tonight and Friday; somewhat colder tonight; lowest 20 to 23 degrees; gentle to moderate westerly winds. Outlook for Saturday: Snow probable, continued cold.

Illinois: Mostly cloudy, occasional light snow probable tonight and Friday; somewhat colder Friday.

Wisconsin: Mostly cloudy tonight and Friday; occasional light snow probable in southwest and extreme south; somewhat colder in south and east tonight.

Iowa: Mostly cloudy tonight and Friday; occasional light snow; colder tonight.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 7 p. m. Wednesday: maximum temperature 46, minimum 23; part cloudy; precipitation (snow) .08 inches. Total for March to date 1.37 inches, total for year to date 5.62 inches.

Friday: Sun rises at 6:01; sets at 6:14.

STATE OFFICIALS NAMED TODAY IN CHARGE OF FRAUD

Sought for Questioning in Collection of Demo Campaign Funds

Springfield, Ill., March 21—(AP)—More than 100 state officials and employees were named in a deposition hearing today as "field representatives or collectors" for the Illinoisans, Democratic campaign fund agency.

The representatives were named by Alvin Skoog, Springfield insurance agent who said he handled bonds for the Illinoisans for the last year and a half.

Six state employees subpoenaed for questioning in the office of Walter A. Day and A. M. Fitzgerald for questioning concerning collection of campaign chest "dues" failed to appear.

Day, attorney for State Police, said the Illinoisans' predecessor, the Illinois Central Railroad, was the "field representative or collector" for the Illinoisans, he said. "In all likelihood we will file contempt of court charges" against the six who failed to appear at the hearing.

Extent of Collection

Skoog disclosed the extent of the Democratic campaign collection agency's organization when he gave the names of "collectors" bonded against possible misappropriation of funds.

"The field representatives collected dues from each member of the Illinoisans," he said.

State Finance Director Nudelman, named as one of the directors of the Illinoisans, at a similar hearing recently said state employees made contributions "voluntarily". Skeskel in his suit for an accounting of the funds, however, charged he was told to pay "or else".

The list of names included key office holders in every department of the state government under Governor Horner's supervision.

Field Representatives

Among those bonded as field representatives were Alexander Wilson, Governor Horner's administrative assistant; Charles P. Casey, recently appointed director of the department of public works and buildings; Walter Williams, superintendent of the state highway police; B. W. DeBord, assistant director of agriculture; E. E. Irwin, manager of the state fair; DeWitt Billman, head of the Legislative Reference Bureau; Joseph E. Knight, secretary of the Illinois Commerce Commission and secretary of the Democratic state central committee; Clinton P. Bliss, assistant director of education and registration.

Asked by Attorney Day concerning duties of field representatives of the Illinoisans, Skoog said:

"I was told that this was a political and social organization made up of state employees. The field representatives had a list of members of the Illinoisans and dues were so much each month. These people were responsible for those collections."

Skoog said that a \$10,000 bond for Harold A. Stone, a "special agent" of the Illinoisans who was indicted by a Will county grand jury on a charge of "unlawful and felonious receipt of political contributions" last Feb. 23, had been cancelled Feb. 2, 1940.

HERALD OF JOY

Although the calendar declares that today is spring, the weatherman snubbed the change of seasons with a blanket of snow. Herald of spring joy, however, was the robin which Mrs. Ada Davis reported she saw in the backyard at her home at 516 Jackson avenue this morning.

That's the Reason

Columbia, S. C., Mar. 21—(AP)—Former State Representative D. A. G. Ouzts has his own theory about why automobiles "kill more people than trains".

In a talk to legislators, the elderly ex-lawmaker commented that "the engineer doesn't hug the fireman. That's the reason".

TORTURE CHARGED

Marquette, Mich., March 21—(AP)—Howard La Branche, 33, charged with torturing a seven-year-old girl who boarded at his home as a state ward, was bound to Circuit court Wednesday for trial during the June term.

J. Avery Peterson, county welfare agent, charged that La Branche burned the tips of the girl's fingers with matches after

Allegations

Chicago, Mar. 21—(AP)—Bernard J. Holweg was quite a booklover his wife, Lillian, told the court during her divorce hearing.

She testified that her husband installed a fine new library in their home while she was in a hospital and greeted her return with: "I have my books now, so I don't need you any more".

She got the divorce.

New Philadelphia, O., Mar. 21—(AP)—Mrs. Anna Mary Swonger of nearby Newcomerstown charged in a divorce petition that her husband refused to permit her to attend church because he feared she would admire other women's clothes and want new clothing herself.

LaSalle Man Is Held for Action by Grand Jurors

Special agents of several railroads operating throughout northern Illinois were in Dixon today interviewing Clarence Hockings, 23, of LaSalle, who today was held to the April grand jury under bond of \$2,000 by Justice J. O. Shaulis on a charge of grand larceny, Special Agent W. E. Briggs of Freeport, representing the Illinois Central Railroad, swore out the warrant this morning. In default of bond Hockings was remanded to the county jail.

Hockings was arrested early yesterday morning near Morris, Ill., by sheriff's deputies, driving a car loaded with brass and bronze bearings for railroad cars and locomotives. In a statement made to Sheriff Hoyt at Morris, he was said to have admitted stealing some of the bearings from the Illinois Central round house at Amboy. In his statement he was reported to have implicated a ring of thieves who have plundered railroad property in northern Illinois since early in March.

From Four Railroads

In the car were found brass and bronze bearings which had been taken from four railroad systems, and other thefts of recent date were included in Hocking's statement which consisted of gasoline, oil, tools and some clothing, it was stated by special agents who were here today.

Deputies LeRoy Bates and Lyle Snader went to Morris yesterday afternoon and brought Hockings and his car to Dixon. Warrants were reported to have been issued today for at least two other members of the alleged gang named in Hocking's confession of the pilfering of several railroad properties since March 5th. Among the contents of Hocking's car were several brasses which were stolen from the Milwaukee railroad at Mendota a few weeks ago, it was reported.

The brass bearings were hauled to Springfield where they were placed in a boat and taken to an island where the rabbit metal was melted from the bearings and sold to a junk dealer at Morris. The brass bearings were reported to have been hauled to Chicago where they were disposed of to a buyer at his private residence.

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House Appropriations Committee

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Grandmother Was All Wrong on Spring Fever and Tonic; Only State of Mind

Philadelphia, March 21—(AP)—Grandmother probably will never believe it but take the word of experts—she was all wrong when she gave generous doses of sulphur and molasses as a cure for "spring fever". There isn't any such thing.

That listless feeling you get around this time of year, three medical authorities agreed today, isn't something that you can prescribe medicine for, or put down in

New Cabinet in France: Chamberlain May Make Changes During Recess

The War Today!

War in Brief

(By The Associated Press)

Paris—Paul Reynaud forms new French war cabinet; patrol activity on western front.

London—German submarine bases in Baltic may be next on RAF bombing program; British cabinet shakeup believed impending.

Berlin—High command reports sinking nine naval and merchant ships in air raid on British convoy.

Helsinki—Resignation of Finnish war government predicted after Easter.

Washington—Allied interest in new 7-mile-a-minute Lockheed plane may hasten showdown on foreign purchases of U. S. aircraft.

BY DEWITT MACKENZIE

It would be difficult to imagine England's grand old man of statecraft and sport, the seventeenth Earl of Derby, making that very blunt speech in which his son, War Secretary Oliver Stanley, chastised the bad lads of the U. S. A. whom he accused of charging Britain with lack of initiative in the war.

Lord Derby is by nature a diplomat—unemotional, solid, rich in commonsense, and a bluff and altogether likeable gentleman of the old school. He is the finest type of cosmopolitan Englishman, who long ago learned the simple but important truth that a word spoken in resentment may cause more international damage than all the statesmen ever can repair.

The Earl is a great friend of the United States and has spent much of his long lifetime working for good relations.

Derby has been minister of war twice, once during the World conflict, and did a sizeable job. Thus we have the rather uncommon circumstance of a son occupying the same great cabinet post held by his father.

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Grandmother Was All

SUBLETTE

CHURCH NEWS
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church
Rev. Joseph J. Weitekamp, pastor.
Masses on Easter Sunday are as follows: High Mass at 8:00 o'clock, Low Mass at 10:00 o'clock. Communion Sunday for the St. Anne Society and the Blessed Virgin Sodality. Also general communion Sunday for the parish. Communion will be given outside the mass at 6:30 o'clock.
Special devotions in honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help will take place at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will follow the devotions.
Good Friday services will be held

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safely
Stops Perspiration



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2. No waiting to dry. Can be used right after shaving.
3. Instantly stops perspiration for 1 to 3 days. Removes odor from perspiration.
4. Pure, white, greaseless, stainless vanishing cream.
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☒ **FREMONT M. KAUFMAN**
For STATE'S ATTORNEY

(Pol. Adv.)

Do you want him to be independent?

Do you want him to have a good college and legal education?

Do you want him to be experienced through active practice?

Do you want him to have engaged in extensive trial work?

Do you want him to have appeared many times before the Supreme and Appellate Courts of this State?

RED RYDER



general theme will be "The Five Crosses of Calvary."

Order of service:
Prelude.
Hymn.
Invocation.

"The Underserved Cross," sermon by Rev. C. W. Riley.
Duet, "Follow Me," Mrs. C. W. Riley and Mrs. William Kidd.
"The Futile Cross," sermon by Rev. G. A. Cox.

Anthem, "Calvary," by Rodney. "The Hopeful Cross," sermon by Rev. H. J. Holmerson.
Anthem, "Was It a Dream?" by Asher, Harmon Methodist choir.
"The Chosen Cross," sermon by Rev. D. A. Davis.
Anthem, "Go So Loved the World," by Marks, Sublette church choir.

"The Universal Cross," sermon by Rev. J. F. Anderson.

Duet, "Open the Gates of the Temple," by Knopp, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Long.

Anthem, "Beautiful Saviour," by Christiansen, Amboy Congregational choir.

Benediction.
Postlude, Mrs. O. N. Eckburg.

Food Sale

The Sublette Women's club will sponsor a food sale in the postoffice on Saturday, March 23rd, between the hours of 1:00 and 4:00 p. m.

Woman's Club Meets

Mrs. Helen Long presented a very interesting program at the regular meeting of the Sublette Woman's club held in the Union church parlors on Thursday afternoon, March 14th. The topic was about St. Patrick's day and was as follows:

Song, "Drink to me only with thine eyes."
Story of St. Patrick.

Poem, "The Birth of St. Patrick," by Samuel Louer.

Poem "St. Patrick Was a Gentleman."

Songs, "Mother Machree"; "I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen."

History of Ireland.

Poem, "The Wearin' of the Green," old ballad.

Poem, "The Irishman," by James Orr.

Poem, "The Shamrock," by Maurice De Guerin.

Song, "Sundown," by London-derry air.

The next meeting will be Thursday, March 28th, at the home of Mrs. George Henrich. The program will be "The Forward Look" and will be in charge of Mrs. Ella Hatch. Roll call will be answered by Easter time quotations.

Home Bureau Clothing Lesson
Mrs. Clarence Hoffman assisted Mrs. Elmer Mason in presenting the Home Bureau Clothing Lesson in the Mason home Tuesday afternoon. This was the second in a series of four to be presented. Those present were: Mrs. George Scheneman, Mrs. Ralph Long, Mrs.

The Death Trap



By FRED HARMAN

Gust Bauer and Misses Mae and Lina Clark.

Birthday Party

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Vernon Bonnell entertained a group of little folks at a birthday party in honor of her son Bruce who was celebrating his sixth birthday. The afternoon was spent playing games after which a delicious lunch was served by Bruce's mother. After spending a delightful afternoon, the small guests left wishing Bruce many more happy birthdays. The guest of honor received many nice gifts.

Sublette Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Arrigo, Johnnie and Lena were visitors at the Tony Sotolo home in Dixon on Saturday.

Leon Frey and son Philip of Mendota were Sunday morning callers at the Dearl Ellsworth home.

Mrs. Walter Erbes and Mrs. Dale Van Dusen were Mendota visitors Monday evening.

Mrs. Clarence Billings and infant son returned to their home on Saturday.

Miss Audrey Munro of Rockford will spend Easter with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Koehler and son Charles, Miss Mabel Geoffrey of Sterling and Gordon O'Neil of Deer Grove were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dearl Ellsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barton and daughter Sharon of Niles Center spent the week end with home folks.

Joe Bulfer of Chicago spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bulfer.

Georgie Malach, son of Mr. and

Mrs. Lambert Malach who has been quite ill in the Angear hospital returned to his home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mason and son John drove to Mendota Sunday to see Mr. Mason's father, G. W. Mason, who has been quite ill.

Birthday Celebrated

A few ladies surprised Mrs. Margaret Lauer Wednesday afternoon, March 13th, the occasion being her 80th birthday anniversary.

The afternoon was spent socially. A delicious lunch including a two-tiered birthday cake was served to the guests. Mrs. Lauer received a number of lovely gifts.

Those present were Mrs. Margaret Stephenitch, Mrs. Mary Burkardt, Mrs. Eva Becker, Mrs. Mary Becker, Mrs. Anna Glaser, Mrs. August Bulfer, Mrs. Paul Lauer, Mrs. Charles Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Chaon and daughters were Tuesday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Long. The supper was in honor of Miss Esther Lewis' birthday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Mrs. Raymond Dinges were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dinges and son Wilbur, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Setchell of Mendota, Mrs. A. E. Manley of Kewanee and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bankes of Sterling.

Fred Bausau of Mendota was a Sublette caller Sunday.

Mrs. Norbert Michel of Mendota visited relatives in Sublette on Sunday.

Former Residents Meet Death

Our community was saddened this week by news of the deaths of Mrs. Joe Rapp and son Jimmie of Amboy who were former resi-

dents of Sublette. Mrs. Rapp and son met death in an automobile accident while enroute to Aurora where Jimmie, who had been ill, was to have entered St. Joseph's hospital in that city for treatment.

Others who were injured in the accident were Mr. and Mrs. John Fischer of Amboy also former Sublette residents and Mr. Rache of Amboy, driver of the car.

A full obituary of the deceased will be published next week.

Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a. m. Friday from St. Patrick's church in Amboy.

A new technical gadget for use of automotive technicians was recently designed. The meter shows the number of miles traveled per gallon of gasoline, taking into consideration the temperature, winds, timing, speed, load, etc.

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Those entertained at the H. J. Smith home at dinner Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith from Steward and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davison from Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ellsworth were callers at their son Frank's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Grove from Scarboro and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hess from Steward were in Amboy Sunday and called at the hospital there to see Mrs. Lewis Pettinger. They report she is getting along nicely. From there they motored to Eldena to visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rees entertained Mr. and Mrs. Matthew McKing and daughter, Mrs. Oleson and husband, also daughter Jo Anne, all of Plano, Ill., also their sons Ellis and Lucian Rees and families Sunday at 6 o'clock dinner.

New signal lights are being put in at the cemetery crossing south of town by the Chicago & St. Paul Railroad.

E. E. Rees, the Standard Oil agent here attended an all day

meeting and banquet at the Nelson Hotel in Rockford Tuesday.

Wm. Grove is having Easter vacation and will not return to his school duties for one week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Thompson were in Rockford Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rees visited relatives near Peru, Ill. Tuesday.

A number of friends from here attended the funeral of Mrs. B. Smith whose home was in Rochelle formerly lived in this community. Mrs. Smith was 90 or more years of age.

Frank Nangle from Paw Paw was here calling on friends Monday.

During November, 1939, the number of mechanically propelled road vehicles in England was 10,070 as compared to 33,833 in November, 1938. The drop was said to have been caused by the rationing of gasoline, blackout restrictions, and increased horse power and income taxes.

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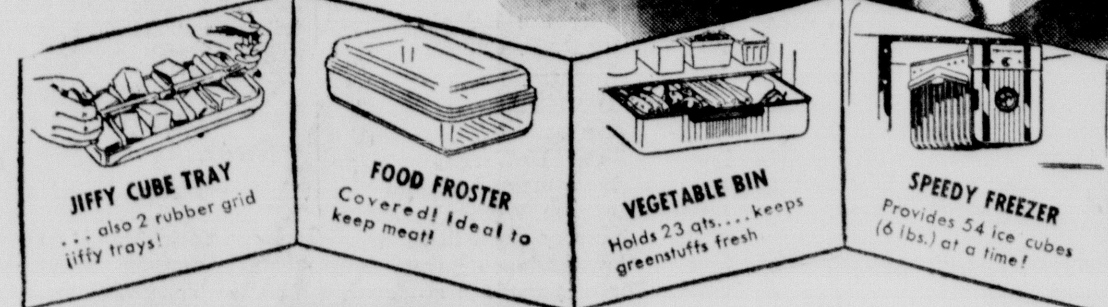
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Good Friday Program

Tomorrow at 12 o'clock, the community Good Friday services will begin at the Presbyterian church. Schools are dismissed Thursday as well as Friday, and business houses will be closed from 1 until 3 o'clock, in order that all can attend the service.

This service will center around the words of Jesus while on the cross, and will be divided into eight short periods of about twenty minutes each, and each period complete in itself. You are asked to come for any period, and to stay for as many as you can.

The Good Friday three-hour program:

12:00-12:20 — Introductory service—Rev. Frank A. Campbell.

12:20-12:45—Word of Intercession. "Father, forgive them"—Rev. Mary Collins.

12:45-1:05—Word of Authority "Today shalt thou be with Me"—Rev. Darwin Blomgren.

1:05-1:30 — Word of Remembrance: "Behold thy son . . . thy mother"—Rev. Paul Dibble.

1:30-1:50—Word of Loneliness: "Why has thou forsaken Me?"—Rev. McGregor of Kings.

1:50-2:15—Word of Suffering: "I thirst"—Rev. Stafford of Malta.

2:15-2:35—Word of Victory: "It is finished"—Rev. Frank A. Campbell.

2:35-3:00 — Word of Refuge: "Into Thy hands . . . My Spirit"—Rev. Paul Dibble.

Call your correspondent between now and Monday with news of your week-end trip, or Easter guests.

NELSON

Mrs. M. C. Stitzel, Reporter
Nelson — Miss Betty Gale has been out of school for the past week by illness.

Clement May who was very ill last week, is improved in health.

Mrs. Bessie Miller is confined to her home with an attack of influenza.

George, son of Mrs. Winnifred Cossman who suffered an attack of appendicitis last week has recovered.

H. A. Eastbrook who has been confined to his home with a severe cold is convalescing.

Mrs. Harry Mintun received word Friday of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Effie Farber whose home is near Wisconsin Valley. She and her son Ronnie left Saturday noon and word has been received that her mother is in a serious condition.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Alter was buried in the Nelson cemetery Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webber spent the week end with his parents in Chicago.

Mrs. Karl Kron and baby daughter are visiting relatives in Dixon for a few days.

Richard Yates Rowe



In 1860, when Abraham Lincoln went to Washington as first Republican president to save the nation, he left Richard Yates, Sr. (the War Governor)—elected at the same time and on the same ticket—as the chief executive of his state.

Forty years later, in 1900, Richard Yates, Jr., became Governor and the champion of the plain people.

Again forty years later, another member of the family is seeking his first elective office although he has long been active in Republican affairs and held many honorary positions.

Many of those present remarked that the candidate bears a close resemblance to his predecessors in appearance and mannerisms. Others recalled having voted for Richard Yates, Jr., in the Republican convention which nominated him for Governor. His supporters insist that "history repeats itself" very forty years.

Rowe, who lives at his birthplace, Jacksonville, Illinois, a short distance from Springfield, and has seen many state administrations come and go.

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Miss Bertha Voegler and Nancy Blotch spent Sunday in LaSalle.

Miss Minnie Vogler and Alan Blotch were Chicago visitors Wednesday.

Miss Freida Schartlein returned to Mendota this week.

Mrs. Marty Guilfoyle is spending the Easter vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Bae Kohl.

Mrs. Godfrey Thorn is spending the week in Davenport, Iowa, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Westgate and daughters of Blackwell, Okla. are visiting relatives in Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stein spent the day in Aurora Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Welsh and Mrs. Emma Reichardt visited Mrs. Minnie Geiger in Streator Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Phalen entertained a few relatives Tuesday evening at 6:30 dinner in honor of their son Jimmie's birthday.

Miss Lillian Erbes of Dubuque, Iowa, will arrive in Mendota Friday to spend Easter with her mother, Mrs. Eva Erbes and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Madden are guests at the home of Mr. Madden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madden of Lynnville, Ind.

Mrs. John Rutishauser and daughter, Mildred and Mrs. Darrell Clarke were Chicago visitors Wednesday.

Mary Steele underwent a tonsilectomy at Harris hospital Tuesday.

Bruce McDonald submitted to a tonsilectomy at Harris hospital Tuesday morning.

Mendota junior woman's club held their regular meeting Tuesday evening.

propriations and by reviving business practices.

"We must take government out of business and put business into government."

Connecticut Court's Decision Holds Anti-Birth Control Law O. K.

Hartford, Conn., March 21—(AP)—The Connecticut Supreme Court of Errors, upholding the constitutionality of the state's birth-control law, has ruled it was illegal for a physician to prescribe contraceptives to a married woman even if he believed her "general health" would be affected by pregnancy.

A lower court had held that the law, which makes the practice of birth control by anyone a criminal offense, was unconstitutional if it were construed as lacking an exception "protecting the right of any physician to prescribe drugs, medicinal articles or instruments for the purpose of preventing conception."

The Supreme Court, however, pointed out that the legislature had refused repeatedly to make such an exception and added that "courts may not by construction supply omission in a statute, or add exceptions merely because it appears to them that good reasons exist for adding them."

The case was brought to the Supreme Court after two Waterbury physicians and a nurse, arrested under the birth control act, had challenged its constitutionality on the ground that persons had a natural right to "decide whether or not they shall have children."

Recently purchased by the French army was a "mobile airport," which is a truck weighing 13 tons, and containing everything necessary to repair planes. The truck will travel at a top speed of 40 miles an hour on highways.

Judge Castigates Pair Who Assaulted Laborer

Danville, Ill., March 21—(AP)—Federal Judge Walter C. Lindley has sentenced Cecil Morris and Otto Sneed of Peoria, Ill., to three years in prison and fined them \$3,800 each after a jury had convicted the pair of assault against Ray Crawford.

Judge Lindley assailed the prisoners' testimony yesterday in which they said they struck Crawford in self-defense as the "most vicious lie I ever heard on a witness stand" and added that it was "in keeping with this vicious and murderous assault."

Crawford testified he had been beaten at Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., in June 30, 1939, during construction work at the army air field.

A jury convicted the pair Wednesday.

GRAND DETOUR

Peter Bovey spent the past week in Elmhurst with his daughter and family.

Otis Jones was a business caller in Oregon last Wednesday.

Mrs. Pearl Senn entertained the Circle last Thursday. Making a comforter and sewing carpet rags was the work for the day.

Mrs. Francis Wakenight went to Rockford Sunday where she expects to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Christ Smith and son Paul of Chicago spent the week end with the Clarence Maronde family.

Mrs. Norman Peterson entertained her mother, Mrs. Wells of Caledonia the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rupley of Ottawa spent the week end with the

latter's sister, Mrs. Betty Weidt. The Reglin and Becker families moved from our midst to Dixon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Parks of Dixon spent Sunday with the former's brother Alfred and family.

Ronald Senn is a victim of scarlet fever.

John T. Nolf came out from Oak Park Monday and has his cottage opened for the season.

Frederick Garner spent last Monday and Tuesday in Chicago on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Holger Jensen entertained a number of friends at a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening.

Miss Calla Greig of Dixon is visiting Mrs. Fred Garner at this time.

Spring is just around the corner as everywhere you see the youngsters playing marbles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Page entertained relatives from LaGrange Sunday.

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"Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and
excessive dislike of another cause those whom they
actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to
veil and even second the arts of influence on the
other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of
the favorite are liable to become suspected and
odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the ap-
plause and confidence of the people to surrender
their interests." From the Farewell Address.

Wouldn't This Be Embarrassing?

Analysis of the forthcoming census returns is
expected to shed some light upon the number of
unemployed but available workers in the United
States. For some time there has been raging a
controversy over the number of jobless men and
women. Estimates range from 3 million to 12
million, with most guessers holding the number
at 8 to 10 million.

If, as some contend strenuously, there are only
3 million persons who are able and willing to work,
but who lack jobs, then that figure is about normal.
At all times, reliable economists contend, there
will be around 3 million jobless persons in this coun-
try on the basis of present population—more if popu-
lation increases. There are always men and wom-
en temporarily out of work; there are always gradu-
ates not yet placed; there are always people who
have quit one job and are looking for opportunities
to improve their situation.

But if there are only 3 million persons out of
work, then why is there still an unemployment
emergency which impels the government to spend
so vigorously on behalf of the jobless? Is Uncle
Sam sprouting gray hairs trying to find jobs for
8 to 12 million persons who are already working?
It would be extremely embarrassing for the New
Deal to have to admit it.

On the other hand, if there are 8 to 12 million
persons willing and able to work, but unable to find
work, then that will be embarrassing, too. For the
New Deal to go into a campaign with unemployment
in substantially the same condition it was
eight years previously would be a severe handicap.
To go into a campaign with the cash register empty,
the national debt at its legal limit and 10 million
persons eight years older and not a penny richer
should require no end of courage.

Does that explain why the President hesitates
to make his third term announcement?

And Is Japan Angry!

Among the people who would have been glad to
see the Russo-Finn war continue indefinitely were
the Japanese. Unofficially, but probably reflecting
official opinion, Jap spokesmen condemn President
Roosevelt for trying to end the Finnish war.

The reason is not hard to understand. With
the Reds free from their gory struggle to dislodge
a handful of Finnish patriots, Stalin can now re-
sume his argument with Japan—an argument waged
in terms of border skirmishes. In fact, now that
Russia is more free than ever to assail Manchuria,
which is a Japanese puppet state.

As long as Russia threatens Japan's puppet,
Japan finds the going more difficult in China. Japan
is impoverished by the long struggle with Chiang
Kai-Shek, and might find it necessary to enter a
humiliating peace treaty with Russia.

The thieves are quarreling over the loot.

Russia Gloats Out Loud

Russia is still firm about one thing: She started
the Finnish war to protest her own boundaries from
invasion, presumably by the Finns.

Gloating over the peace treaty, Russian writers
loudly proclaim that drastic action against Finland
became necessary only after the "imperialistic" war
in the west compelled the soviets to take precau-
tions against an attack on Leningrad.

That's their story and they're sticking to it.

But there was another story than ran hand in
hand with this one when the war began. You re-
member? Russia was going to "liberate" the "op-
pressed" citizens of Finland from their "fascist" gov-
ernment. There is complete silence on that point
now, but in these days when treaties seem to be
made just so they can be broken, there is no assur-
ance that the Finns' "emancipation" is forgotten.
Perhaps it's just postponed.

Banning Political Pressure

There was plenty of evidence last summer that
the Hatch bill wasn't a piece of legislation entirely
welcome among those federal elective officials who
were counting a bit on help from the boys in gov-
ernment jobs.

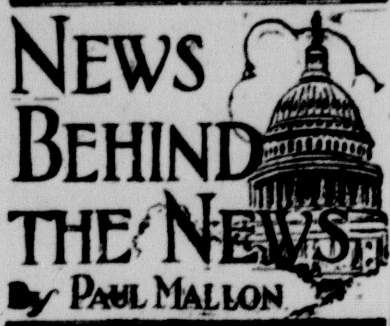
The new Hatch bill, to extend the provisions of
the original and to bar all state employees paid
partly with federal funds from participating in pol-
itics, is having a tough fight.

However the battle on the Hatch bill comes out,
the desirability of some measure to protect gov-
ernment jobholders from becoming the pawns of
political bosses is apparent. Political control
wielded through federal agencies doesn't do the
cause of democracy any good.

Kids Needn't Be Criminals

Circuit Judge Fremont Evans of Benton Har-
bor, Mich., sadly regretted that, instead of send-
ing juvenile delinquents to reform schools, he
couldn't simply prescribe a hearty dose of "an old-
fashioned whodshed, a big strap, and someone who
would use it with a vengeance." The jurist said he
thought that it would do more good than sending the
youngsters away.

Maybe it would, too. Psychologists have been
known to debate that question far into the night.
Whenever youthful delinquents are shipped away to
places where they can't brush up on the fine points
of crime they didn't know before, almost any course
would be better than detention.



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Washington, March 20 — The
White House wangled this agree-
ment from the house labor com-
mittee to increase the National
Labor Relations Board by two
members. Senator Wagner did
the actual bulldozing for Mr. Roose-
velt.

The compromise is not as deep
as the trouble nor as wide as the
issue, but 'twill serve Democratic
campaign purposes if the A. F. of
L. and others who want a fresh
five-man new deal on the board
can be drawn into line.

The trick of the proposal is that
the two additional members with
William Leiserson will give the
White House a majority of three.
The present board rulers, J. War-
ren Madden and Edwin S. Smith,
would be squeezed down into a
minority by the packing process.
Madden's term expires next Aug-
ust, and naturally he will not be
reappointed. Smith's tenacious
hold on the office will terminate
next year.

Thus all would be permitted to
save face, the two minority mem-
bers whom Roosevelt was consid-
ering ousting, Roosevelt who gave
the board its present objectionable
complexion, and congress which
passed the legislation.

Note: Senator Bob Wagner,
father of the legislation, put the
administration's new viewpoint on
NLRB classically when he said be-
hind his hand:

'You can remain deaf, dumb and
blind only so long'.

Government economists are
scanning their statistics with mag-
nifying glasses looking for signs
of spring buying power upon which
the immediate course of business
is likely to turn. So far they have
found little evidence of wholesale
demand and consequently their
guesses run on the pessimistic side.
Industrial production, just an-
nounced by the Federal Reserve
Board to be 109 for February, will
be down to 104 for March.

The consensus here predicts a
bottom of 100 to 90 will be re-
ached within 60 days. The top guess
is probably best, because foreign
buying is coming immediately in
several outstanding lines.

The British blockade grip on the
Skagerrak will be relaxed as a
result of the latest successful
German air raid on Scapa Flow.

The British slipped back into
that death trap naval base about
two weeks before the raid, having
abandoned it after casualties in
December. They had to go back
and risk the air bombs because
Scapa Flow is the only base from
which they can operate efficiently
to maintain the blockade off the
Norwegian-Swedish coast. They
are now planning to withdraw
from it again, leaving that part
of the blockade largely to destroy-
ers and submarines.

Washington authorities hate to
say so, but German claims in the
war so far while exaggerated—
have turned out to be nearer ac-
curate than the British. For that
reason and others, the German ac-
count of six hits at Scapa Flow is
rather generally accepted. British
policy has been to wait until dam-
ages were repaired before admit-
ting them.

More Mystifying than even
Roosevelt's juggling of the third
term has been Chairman Jim Far-
ley's zig-zagging course. Farley
went into Massachusetts with
what seemed to be a Roosevelt
delegation, then failed to justify
the rumors of his friends that he
would enter in Ohio and California.
Yet Farley's position is well un-
derstood and clear to his friends.
They understand that he has fig-
ured his only chance of the nom-
ination is to get Roosevelt dele-
gates if Roosevelt does not use
them. Therefore, he has been a
sort of an inside campaign to se-
cure second choice pledges. As a
result, Farley may emerge with
much hitherto unseen delegate
strength if the president re-
nounces.

High diplomatic personages
have flown back here with infor-
mation that while Mussolini has
been losing influence with Franco
in Spain, Hitler has been needing
in rapidly. They tell this story:
General Franco had planned an
elaborate parade and invited all
ambassadors to appear at the re-
viewing stand one hour ahead of
time—that is all except the Ger-
man. He was to walk in just be-
fore the parade started and get
the applause.

The octogenarian French am-
bassador, Marshal Petain, saw no
reason why he should get there so
early. Disregarding instructions
he appeared about ten minutes be-
fore the parade started. The
Franco claquees seeing only that he
was an ambassador, and thinking
he was the one they were supposed
to applaud, set up a great demon-

News in Brief

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Smith of
Milledgeville were Dixon shoppers
yesterday.
—SING-O-GRAMS (Easter
Greetings). Call WESTERN
UNION for rates.
Adv. 6911

Dr. Warren G. Murray attended
a meeting of the Juvenile Protec-
tion association in Chicago, Tues-
day.

Joe Mills of route 4 was a
Dixon business visitor this morn-
ing.

—EASTER GREETINGS By
Telegraph. Only 25c to all
WESTERN UNION POINTS.
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Mrs. Robert Hallenberg and
Mrs. Henry Noble were luncheon
guests of Miss Ann Eustace today.

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Mrs. Margaret Underline of Ba-
tavia is spending the Easter vaca-
tion with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. J. H. Hersam of West Cham-
berlin street.

Senator Arthur J. Bidwill of
Chicago was in Dixon yesterday.

Stanwood Trein, student at Iowa
State college, is at home for a
visit with Mr. and Mrs. Herman
Rasch of Ottawa avenue.

Miss Winifred Ann Loftus of
Evanston is home to spend East-
er with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
William Loftus.

Deaths

Suburban—

ANSON DELOS CLARK
(Telegraph Special Service)
Rochelle, March 21—Anson De-
los Clark, 85, passed away at his
home on North Seventh street at
12:30 o'clock this morning, death
resulting from a stroke suffered
one week ago today. Funeral ser-
vices will be held at the home at
2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon,
the Rev. Paul Dibble of the Meth-
odist church officiating, and with
burial in Flagg Center cemetery.

Mr. Clark was born Jan. 17,
1855, the son of Alanson Delos and
Eliza Biggers Clark, and was mar-
ried to Estelle Mayberry March
18, 1884, the couple quietly ob-
serving their 56th anniversary
this month. For half a century
he engaged in farming until his
retirement in 1919.

He is survived by his widow;
one son, Walter; and a sister,
Mrs. Rhoda Reed of Ashton. A
daughter and a son preceded him
in death.

Funerals

Suburban—

DIXIE JOAN KING
Rochelle.—Dixie Joan King, in-
fant daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Clifford King of near Rochelle,
was buried in Lawnridge ceme-
tery, Sunday afternoon, following
private services, conducted by
Rev. Paul Dibble.

Dixie Joan was born Oct. 4. She
is survived by the parents and a
sister, Betty.

Happy Birthday

MARCH 21
Mrs. Rowena Powell.

MARCH 22
Mrs. August Sandmire, route 3;
Mrs. Fay Cooley, route 1; Mrs. J.
C. Atkinson, route 2; E. M. Good-
sell; John Jacobs, Harmon; Ken-
neth Reglin, route 1; Doris Bruck-
er, Franklin Grove.

It was still on when the
German arrived almost unnoti-
cied.

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)

38 YEARS AGO
Col. James H. Thompson of Dix-
on post, No. 299, G. A. R., has
been appointed aid-de-camp of
Commander-in-chief Eli Torrance
of Minneapolis, Minn.

The Borden Condensed Milk Co.
has purchased all the plants and
routes of the Anglo-Swiss Con-
densed Milk Co., it was officially
announced today.

James A. Eaton and Miss
Madge Perkins, both of Palmyra,
were married this afternoon by
Judge R. S. Farrand.

25 YEARS AGO
Rev. Frederick C. Grant of De-
Kalb has accepted a call to St.
Luke's Episcopal church in this
city.

A display window at J. A. Sny-
der's confectionery store on Ga-
lena avenue was broken Saturday
evening by boys who were tussling
on the sidewalk and one of the
number was shoved through the
glass.

Dan Donovan and C. E. Har-
rington today withdrew as candi-
dates for city commissioners.

10 YEARS AGO
The home of Dr. A. W. Chandler
306 North Jefferson avenue, was
ransacked during his absence on a
trip to Florida, it was reported to
police today.

The road and bridge committee
today announced the list of patrol-
men to be employed on the Lee
county highway system this year.

Church Societies

Busy Bees—Busy Bees of the
Presbyterian Sunday school and
their teacher, Mrs. George Iles,
were guests of Miss Jeanette An-
drews last evening. In the ab-
sence of the president, Mrs. Iles
conducted the business meeting.
Dorothy Bruin and Joan Smith
were in charge of the devotional
service. The hostess and her
grandmother, Mrs. Pollock, served
refreshments at the close of the
meeting.

Births

(At Katherine Shaw Betha
Hospital)
KRAHENBUHL — Born to Mr.
and Mrs. Alvin Krahenbuhl of Na-
chusa, a son, March 19.
ZIGLER—Born to Mr. and Mrs.
Mervin Zigler of Dixon, a son,
March 19.

HOLD EVERYTHING!



Report Capone Back in Costly Florida Estate

Miami Beach, Fla., March 21—
(AP)—Much activity and lights
that blazed throughout the night
led to the belief today that Al Ca-
pone might be behind the shelter-
ing walls of his luxurious Palm
Island estate, kept prim as a
needle for nearly a decade await-
ing him.

The Miami Herald quoted an
unnamed source as saying the for-
mer Chicago gang leader had re-
turned to his Florida home, and
Capone disappeared from the
house in Baltimore he had occu-
pied since January 8.

Dan Coughland, caretaker at
the Palm Island estate, denied
that Capone was here and refused
admittance to newsmen.

Under Florida law, Capone must
register as a former felon within
48 hours of his arrival.

In Baltimore, Dr. Joseph E.
Moore, widely-known syphilologist
who had been attending Capone,
said he had not been informed of
Capone's departure.

The scar-faced former gangster
was discharged from federal
prison at Lewisburg, Pa., Nov. 16,
to which he was transferred after
serving seven years at Alcatraz
and Terminal Island prisons for
evading federal income taxes.

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Church News

St. Patrick's Catholic — Every
Friday Novena to our Sorrowful
Mother; service at 3:00, 7:00 and
8:00 p. m. Sunday mass hours:
6:00, 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30.

Lodge News

Minnie Bell Rebekah Lodge, No.
423 will meet at 7:30 p. m. Friday.
A short program and refreshments
will follow the lodge session.

CAMPBELL SALARIES

Dallas Mar. 21—(AP)—Thomas
J. Watson of New York doesn't
begrudge paying \$294,000 income
taxes on the \$442,000 salary he re-
ceived last year.
"I don't compare my net salary
with my gross," the president of
International Business Machines
Corp. told interviewers. "I com-
pare it with the \$6 a week I made
when I started out as a salesman
in a store in Painted Post, N. Y."

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SERIAL STORY

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YESTERDAY: Steve tells Ann he
is still in love with her, but she re-
minds him that she is a servant.
Ann finds the cook has been buying
large quantities of food, too much
for use. She senses trouble. Late
one night, Irene comes to Ann's
room to chat.

CHAPTER XXVI

IRENE said, "When we met at
the Athens Club party I had
no idea that you were a bread-
winner. You looked so ultra that
night."

"I stepped out of type for the
evening."

"I don't want to be nosy, but—
you're different, Ann. Where is
your family? Why are you a
housekeeper—if you don't mind
telling me."

"My parents are dead, they
were killed in an accident. I don't
know much about my father's
people. Mother came from Seattle.
Perhaps I have cousins and uncles
and aunts out there. I never
looked into it."

"Are you absolutely on your
own?"

"Yes."

"I give you credit, Ann. I
couldn't earn enough to buy a
bowl of bread and milk."

They talked on like two girls
in the same walk of life. Irene
asked, "Where's that good-looking
man who was with you at the
Athens Club?"

"He's out in Moline, floorwalk-
ing a 10-cent store." Ann's face
shadowed.

Watching her, Irene said, "I
thought you two were in love."
"People like us can't afford to
be in love."

"I'm having a lot of fun at the
moment being in love," Irene con-
fided. "Dad would throw a fit if
he knew." She laughed delight-
edly.

"Steve Claybourne?" Ann asked.
"No, Jeff Fortner—he's an or-
chestra leader," Irene sighed.
"I'll get over it, but I hate to—
he's a new kind of thrill."

"You're not going to marry
him?"

"Goodness, no. I don't fancy
myself as the wife of an orchestra
leader. I'll marry Steve some day.
We're not in love, but we go with
the same crowd and like to do the
same things. I'll marry Steve
when I get around to it."

Ann laughed. "Does he know
it?"

"Oh, I suppose he feels like I
do, that we'll make a nice pair
when we each want to be half of
a pair."

"Would you care if he fell in
love with someone else?" Ann
was thinking of the conversation
on the stairs the previous evening.
"No, I wouldn't care. We're
both looking around a little. I

might even fall in love." She got
up from the bed. "I'd better be
getting dressed."

ANN was ready for bed when
the telephone rang. She wait-
ed for Rose to answer but, when
the bell kept up its monotonous
chant, she went to the upstairs
sitting room.

"Mr. Temple's residence," she
said.

"Ann? Steve talking."

"Hello, Steve."

"How'd you like to go for a
cruise on the lake? It's a swellish
night."

"Honestly, Steve, I'm too tired."

"It'll do you good. I'll have you
back in an hour if you say so.
The moon is not quite full, but
tipsy."

"Are you, too?"

Steve laughed. "My state of in-
toxication is well in hand, lady."

It was dark in the sitting room
and the moonlight made a puddle
on the carpet. It would be gor-
geous on the lake. The Temple
gardens sloped down to the sil-
very edge. A dock reached far
out into the lake. Ann could
imagine Steve's launch put-put-
ting up to the dock in the silvery
light. For a moment she was
tempted.

Then, "Steve, try to understand.
Mr. Temple and Irene and Blake
are wonderful to me, but, after
all, I'm not a member of the fam-
ily. I have work to do and plenty
of it. I can't go tooting off at this
hour of the night—"

"Doesn't a housekeeper rate a
boy friend?"

"Perhaps—after she gets her
housekeeping under control."

"Then you won't go?"

"Not tonight, Steve. Thank
you." Ann was not too pleased
that Steve had asked her to slip
out of the house for a midnight
cruise. It clearly emphasized the
difference in their stations. He
seemed to read her thoughts.

"Don't think I'm trying to back-
door you," he said. "What I told
you last night goes. If you don't
watch out I'll ask John Temple
for your hand."

"Steve—you stay in your own
back yard and I'll stay in mine.
That's the better way."

THREE hectic days passed.
Against terrific odds, Ann made
progress. She decided on a
new market and clipped Plunket's
objections short.

"I could have both you and
your uncle arrested for what's
been going on," she said. Plunket
retired to menacing silence. It
was on the third night that Ann
saw the cook whisk out of her
room as she turned the corner in

the second floor corridor.
"Plunket—" she called sharply.
There was no answer and she
was half inclined to believe that
she had imagined the visit. Blake,
home for a few days, dashed out
of his room, begging for help with
his dress tie, and Ann forgot the
incident.

The following morning Mr.
Temple came down to breakfast
with a grievance

Society News

COLLEGIANS ARE ARRIVING IN DIXON THIS WEEK FOR EASTER VACATION VISITS

Easter tide and spring vacation time are to be thanked for bringing back many scattered collegians this week.

Unless northbound roads are blocked by the pre-Easter snow tomorrow morning, Mrs. T. J. Miller will be heading toward Madison to call for her daughter, Louise, the latter's roommate, Miss Rosalie O'Connor of Ft. Wayne, Ind., who is to be a weekend guest at the Miller home, and Elizabeth Davies, Louise, Rosalie, and Elizabeth are all studying at the University of Wisconsin, and are anticipating a longer recess in mid-April, when Wisconsin students will be dismissed for spring vacation.

Mrs. Elmer D. Reynolds will not see her daughter, Betty, during the spring vacation season. Betty, whose vacation from Ohio university in Athens begins later in the month, expects to leave on March 29 for Birmingham, Mich., to visit a classmate, Miss Margaret Stutte.

Two sets of Dixon parents are glad that Carleton college in Northfield, Minn., grants a long spring vacation. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lancaster of 421 East Everett street will be welcoming their son, Allen, and a classmate, Richard Batley of Hillsburg, Pa., this evening, and Jeanette Nettz will be returning on the same train to spend the ten-day recess with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Nettz.

Dorothy Goeke arrived yesterday from Iowa City, where she is a junior at the University of Iowa. She will return to the Iowa campus on Monday after a week-end stay with her parents, the O. F. Goekes.

Billy Schuler, son of the Harry Schulers of East Fellows street, will be one of 30 cadets from St. John's Military academy at Lake Geneva, who will be leaving Sunday evening from Chicago on the academy's annual Easter tour. The tour itinerary includes a boat trip down Chesapeake bay to Point Comfort, also Baltimore, Annapolis, and Washington, D. C.

Lieut. Herbert F. Wiltberger will accompany the cadets who will return to Chicago on March 30, allowing Billy time for a week-end visit with his parents here before returning to the academy on April 2.

Another St. John's student, Lloyd Dunkelberger, Jr., will be leaving for Dixon after maneuvers on Sunday, to spend the holiday with his parents, the senior Lloyd Dunkelbergers of Brinton avenue. John W. Cadle, Jr., a post-graduate student at St. John's, expects to be entertaining two classmates at the Cadle home during the Easter recess.

Thomas Reilly is returning from Notre Dame, as are Charles Kearney and Tom Richards. Robert Evans, a student at Northwestern university dental school is at home for the week-end.

Students at Beloit college in Beloit, Wis., are not dismissed until March 30, when they will enjoy a week-long vacation. Dixon students at Beloit include Elinor Dodd, Ayres Davies, Robert Kline, and Betty Jayne Heck.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crawford were in Evanston yesterday afternoon, calling for three Northwestern students, their daughters Norma and Caryl, and Jeanette Hart, who will be vacationing at home until Tuesday.

Gordon Utley, a freshman at Purdue, arrives in Dixon on Saturday for a week's stay.

Miss Kathryn Dunkelberger, a freshman at Duke college for women in Durham, N. C., does not plan to come to Dixon for spring vacation, having accepted an invitation for a visit in Petersburg, Va., with a classmate, Miss Busch Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Francis B. Johnson. The Duke recess opens on March 30.

To make a plain white loaf cake more interesting, add to the batter before baking about three-quarters of a cake of semi-sweet chocolate, chipped into small pieces. After the cake is baked, dust the top with confectioner's sugar.

EGG HUNT

Mendota children under ten years of age have been invited to take part in an Easter egg hunt at 2:30 p. m. Sunday at the high school athletic field. One-thousand Easter eggs will be hidden for the hunt, which has been arranged by the Mendota Kiwanis club.

MRS. ATKINSON IS HONORED

Twenty neighbors and friends met Wednesday afternoon for a surprise celebration of Mrs. J. C. Atkinson's seventy-sixth birthday anniversary of March 22. The group met at the Atkinson home on rural route 3, enjoying an informal afternoon of visiting, following by a birthday lunch.

Two decorated cakes were brought by the unexpected guests, who joined in singing a birthday song for their hostess.

Yesterday's gathering was one of several parties held recently in honor of older residents of the neighborhood, which have included a housewarming for Mrs. I. G. Hoover at her new home in Nacusa.

ALBERT NEWCOMER IS SIX YEARS OLD

A three-act puppet show, staged by Mrs. Charles F. Johnston, was exciting entertainment for ten young party-goers who were invited to the H. D. Newcomer home yesterday afternoon to help celebrate young Albert Newcomer's sixth birthday anniversary.

Marbles, whistles and candy Easter eggs were favors at the pink and white refreshment table. Six pink candles trimmed the birthday cake, which Albert was sharing with Don Memler, Gordon Bennett, Bennie Roe, Billy Docter, George Tyler, Henry Dixon, Frederick Johnston, Richard Joslyn, Jimmy Wadsworth, his aunt and cousins, Mrs. A. R. Leisheit and daughters Betty Jane and Shirley of Batavia, and his grandmother, Mrs. H. Murray, also of Batavia.

Miss Albion Seavey displayed a walnut mortar and pestle, used by her ancestors to ground spices; a lamp which once contained sperm oil; and a handsome coverlet. Mrs. Carl Straw displayed a walnut table and a maple chair. Miss Ella Root's contributions were candle mounds, and there were many interesting pieces of glassware, china, books, and pictures.

Miss Clara McCune of Sterling was displaying a number of handmade aprons.

At their next meeting, April 17, the circle women agreed to don old-fashioned costumes from discarded attic trunks.

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Miss Ada Williams of Pekin, Ill., completed her studies at the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital training school for nurses on Monday. Miss Dorothy Stauffer will be graduated on March 26.

Calendar

Tonight
Past Noble Grands—Super meeting, 6:30 P. M.
Twentieth Century Literary club—Mrs. George Smith, hostess, 8 p. m.
Friday
Dixon Ministerial association—Will sponsor three-hour Good Friday service at Dixon Methodist church.
Minnie Bell Rebekah Lodge—Regular meeting.

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Travel Club Has Series of Talks

A series of vacation travelogues, preceded by a brief history of the club, now in its ninth year, provided an entertaining program for members of the Dixon Travel club Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Ruth Chiverton.

Miss Mila Wobnke, a charter member, spoke of the founding of the club, which was formed in the spring of 1931. A group of Dixon women who find enjoyment in sharing travel experiences compose its membership.

Miss Le Vina Johnson, the next speaker, described the colorful and elaborate spectacle of the Spanish fiesta at Santa Barbara. She was followed by another Dixon teacher, Mrs. Edna Pine, who gave a detailed account of her visit to the "bay area" about San Francisco.

Mrs. Pine described San Francisco as a city of contrasts, with the Golden Gate—the only gap in the coastal mountains—to the north, joining the ocean and the bay; with Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda across the bay, and Mt. Tamalpais silhouetted against the sky in the distance. She spoke of her first view of the city's two famous bridges, glimpsed from Berkeley campus, International house; San Francisco bridge, a two-deck span of eight and a half miles for train and automobile only; and the Golden Gate bridge, seven miles in length, connecting San Francisco with the Mare bay country.

Miss Evelyn Schmidt read a paper written by Miss Trelys Raeuber, describing places of interest in the latter's home state, Wisconsin, including the quetrian statue of an Indian warrior, "The End of the Trail," at Waupun.

An exciting trailer trip to Minneapolis, Duluth, Port Arthur and Winnipeg was the subject Miss Pearl Richards chose. Her traveling companions were her mother and brother, and she reported that the trio enjoyed excellent trout fishing in the far north.

Miss Lucile Stauffer's vacation took her south of the border, to eastern Texas and into Mexico, her itinerary including Houston, Galveston, San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Laredo, Monterey, and Fort

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Miss Schmidt vacationed at Turkey Run, Ind., 1,350 acres of woodland and canyons, where she took hikes on several of the trails for which the retreat is famous. Miss Margaret Kling spoke of the pilgrimage sponsored by the garden club at Natchez, a picturesque city situated on a high bluff on the shore of the Mississippi.

Mrs. Forrest Trautwein introduced the speakers, substituting for the program chairman, Miss Lorraine Missman, who was ill. She concluded the evening's program with moving pictures of Penland, N. C., where she spent three weeks at the Penland School of Handicraft, studying the art of hand weaving. The scenes included views of the falls and mountain peaks surrounding Penland, the home where Stephen Foster composed "My Old Kentucky Home," and illustrations of carding, rolling, spinning and dyeing yarn.

NAMED TO CLASS BASKETBALL SQUAD

Miss Virginia McWethy, daughter of the George E. McWethys of rural route one, Dixon, a freshman at Rockford college, was named to her class basketball squad at the annual basketball and swimming formal banquet held at the college recently.

The dinner climaxed the Rockford winter sports season, and announcement of the awards was made by the president of the campus athletic association, Miss McWethy also took part in the freshman class play presented at the college last week.

EVELYN CARPENTER IS PARTY HOSTESS

Mrs. V. L. Carpenter planned an Easter party yesterday afternoon for the pleasure of her little daughter, Evelyn Ruth, and ten kindergarten playmates. An egg hunt was followed by an Easter lunch, and several reels of moving pictures. Balloons were favors for the guests, whose party time was from 4:30 to 6:30 o'clock.

EASTER VISIT

Mrs. H. U. Bardwell and the Taber Johnsons and their little daughter expect to spend Easter Sunday in Barrington at the home of Attorney William Bardwell.

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To Give Play at Pine Creek Church

The Pine Creek Church of the Brethren Sunday school is announcing an Easter play, "God so Loved the World," which will be presented at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening at the church, two miles south of the west edge of the White Pines State park.

Mrs. Cecil Messer will direct the three-act production, which presents a vivid portrayal of the Easter story. The cast of characters includes:

Abraham, a merchant in Jerusalem, John Willard; Rachel, his wife, Mrs. Luella McKee; Judas, their son, Edward Buse; Miriam, their daughter, Mrs. Virginia Rittenhouse; Ruth, Miriam's daughter, Cecil Irene Messer; Aaron, Ruth's playmate, Junior Storey; Jessica, fiancée of Judas, Gladys Johnson; Rebecca, a servant, Mrs. Bess Cox; Peter, disciple to Jesus, Russell Jones; John, a beloved disciple, Earl Jones.

DRILL TEAM TO MEET

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary Junior drill team will meet from 4 to 5 p. m. Monday in the Moose hall. Twenty-three girls were measured for height to determine their positions in the drills at this week's meeting for the group. Jack Ken-nough is the drill master.

VISITS IN CHICAGO

Mrs. H. U. Bardwell is spending a few days with Mrs. Guy Dart at the Lake Shore Athletic club in Chicago.

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BRIDGE HOSTESS
Mrs. George Beier was hostess at luncheon and contract for her club group of eight yesterday afternoon.

EVENING GUESTS
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Markets at a Glance

New York—
Stocks irregular; aircrafts resistant.
Bonds mixed; low-yield issues rally.
Foreign exchange steady; sterling and franc gain.
Cotton irregular; hedge pressure, trade support.
Sugar steady; covering and new buying.
Metals quiet; export copper demand slow.
Wool tops improved; trade and speculative buying.

Chicago—
Wheat lower.
Corn steady.
Cattle weak to 25 lower.
Hogs 10 higher; top 5.55.

HOLY WEEK HOLIDAY

Widespread observance of the Holy Week and the approaching Easter season will close many of the world's markets and financial exchanges for an extended weekend.

Suspension of trading on Good Friday, tomorrow, will be general in the United States, Canada and Europe. In New York and other trading centers only livestock, dairy products, fruit and vegetable markets will transact business.

The New York Stock Exchange and other North American securities markets, grain futures in the United States and Canada, and the futures market of Commodity Exchange, Inc. in New York will be closed for the short Saturday session.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, March 21.—(AP)—Cash wheat No 4 red 1.06 1/2; No 2 hard 1.08; No 3 1.05; sample grade yellow hard 97 1/2; No 2 mixed 1.07 1/2; No 2 northern spring 1.07.

Corn No 1 yellow 60 1/2; No 2 57 1/2-59 1/2; No 2 white 67 1/2; sample grade 55.

Oats No 2 mixed 43 1/2; sample gray mixed 38 1/2-40; No 2 white 44 1/2-46; No 3 43 1/2-44; No 4 42 1/2.

Buckwheat No 2, 1.50-1.55 nominal.
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Barley, malting 53-63 cents; feed 40-50 cents.
No 2 malting 61; No 3 malting 60-62.

Field seeds per 100 lbs nominal: timothy 4.90-5.25; sweet clover 4.50-5.25; red clover 12.50-15.00; red top 8.50-9.00; alfalfa 15.00-18.00; alfalfa 18.00-23.00.

Chicago Grain Table

WHEAT				
May	1.06	1.06 1/2	1.05 1/2	1.05 1/2
July	1.04	1.04 1/2	1.03 1/2	1.03 1/2
Sept	1.03 1/2	1.03 1/2	1.02 1/2	1.02 1/2
CORN				
May	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
July	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Sept	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
OATS				
May	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
July	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Sept	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
SOY BEANS				
May	11 3/4	11 3/4	11 3/4	11 3/4
July	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Sept	11 1/4	11 1/4	11 1/4	11 1/4
RYE				
May	67 1/2	68	66 1/2	67 1/2
July	68 1/2	69 1/2	67 1/2	68 1/2
Sept	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
LARD				
May	5.85	5.85	5.75	5.77
BELLIES				
May	5.55			5.55

Chicago Produce

Chicago, March 21.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Potatoes 132 on track 465, total US shipments 1,010; firm; supplies heavy demand slow, sacked per cwt. Idaho Russet Burbanks US No 1, few sales 2.00-05; Colorado Red McIntosh US No 1, 1.75-80 mostly 1.75; Nebraska and Wyoming Bliss Triumphs US No 1, washed 2.75; US commercial washed 2.60; US No 1, size B, washed 1.80-85; Minnesota and North Dakota Red River valley section cobbles 60-85 per cent US No 1, 1.30-35; Bliss Triumphs 75-85, US No 1, 1.15-30; Early Ohio 70-80 US No 1, 1.10-30; Wisconsin round whites US No 1, 1.31. New stock dull, supplies moderate demand very slow; less than carrots Florida Bliss Triumphs US No 1, washed by crates 2.50-55, US No 1, size B, 2.00-10.

Poultry live, 44 trucks, steady, prices unchanged. Eggs 51.855, steady, prices unchanged.

Butter futures, storage stds.: Meb 26.25 Nov 26.75. Fresh stds Apr 25.75.

Egg futures, storage packed firsts: Meb 17.50 Apr 17.30. Refri stds Oct 18.45.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Mar. 21.—(AP)—Salable hogs 11,000; total 19,000; fairly active, around 10 higher than Wednesday's average; early top 5.55; bulk good and choice 180-240 lbs 5.25-5.50; 240-270 lbs

averages mostly 5.15-5.50; 270-320 lbs butchers 4.95-5.30; heavier kinds 4.75-5.00; good 400-550 lbs packing sows 4.25-5.00; lighter, weights to 4.75.

Salable cattle 3,500; salable calves 1,000; fed steers and yearlings weak to 25 lower; kinds grading good and better, showed most decline; good share Wednesday's advance erased; shipper demand narrow, but very few strictly good to choice cattle here; mostly 8.00-10.00 trade; with top at 11.75; and best weight steers 10.60; common and medium offerings 7.50-8.40; replacement market slow, steady; inclement weather an adverse influence; cows weak to 15 lower; heifers steady; to weak best 9.85; cutter cows 5.75 down; bulls weak; outside sausage offerings 7.00; heavy fat bulls 6.75; light vealers 25 lower at 9.00-9.75; with outs at 6.00; good to choice heavy vealers mostly 10.50; few select 11.00.

Salable sheep 11,000; total 11,500; late Wednesday fat lambs around 15 higher; fat sheep weak to 10 lower top; and bulk fat range lambs 10.15; few heady 9.85-10.00; two doubles handy weights, fed range ewes 5.50; plainer kinds 5.25; today's trade: practically no trading; bidding around steady or 10.00 to 10.15 on best woolled lambs held at 10.35 and better.

Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: cattle 1,000; hogs 8,000; sheep 7,000.

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Lions Club Officers

A Lions club was recently organized in Oregon and the following officers elected: Harry Bradbury, president; Curtis Meyers, first vice president; John McGuire, second vice president; George Shelly, secretary-treasurer; Leo Finn, tailwister and lion tamer; Walter Settles, Gene Lebowich, Howard Engelbrecht and M. V. Peterman, directors. Meetings will be held the first and third Thursdays of the month at the Oregon cafe.

Returned

Former Governor F. O. Lowden returned Friday from Chandler, Ariz., where he spent the past two months.

Good Friday Service

The community service of three hours' devotion on Good Friday from 12 to 3 P. M. will be held in the Church of God. Based on the "Seven Last Words of Christ," the subjects and speakers will be: "The Word of Intercession," Rev. S. E. Magaw; "The Word of Authority," Rev. G. B. Draper; "The Word of Remembrance," Rev. R. E. Chandler; "The Word of Lamentation," Rev. J. E. Dale; "The Word of Suffering," Rev. G. B. Draper; "The Word of Victory," Rev. R. E. Chandler. The Church of God choir will furnish special choral selections.

Oregon Better Business association requests that all business houses close during this three hours' devotion service.

Thimble Club

Mrs. Floyd Cordes will be hostess to the members of her Thimble club Friday afternoon.

At Hospital

C. O. Keplinger, who has been in ill health for some time, entered Dixon hospital Tuesday for observation and treatment.

Gay-La-Nite

One of the social functions of this spring will be the Gay-La-Nite program and dance to be given in the Coliseum Monday night. A half hour program will precede the dancing which begins at 9:30.

Personals

Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Bowen were hosts Tuesday to the penny-ante club at a dinner party.

Bobby Corcoran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Corcoran, is confined to his bed for five weeks because of heart trouble.

Mrs. Fayette Waggoner motored to Carthage Wednesday to bring home her son Hugh Farrell, and David Dale from college for the spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kiest entertained Sunday the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward DeLorles of Schiller Park and June Hardesty of Valparaiso, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Colson were visited Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. John Gearhart, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gearhart of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and daughter and Mrs. Clara Brown of Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gantz enjoyed a visit Sunday from the latter's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Young of Elmhurst.

Mrs. Fred Deuth of Forreston was a week end guest of Mrs. Martha Meyers.

Mrs. Eugene Wilde is spending a few days with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. A. Goetz of Naperville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Etnyre and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Forrest at Batavia.

Mrs. George Onken, Mrs. Winifred Cossman and son of Nelson were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shaw.

Mrs. Ted Seyster of Sycamore was dismissed Sunday from the local clinic and is convalescing at

the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ferradine.
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Beaman and son, and Mrs. W. P. Woodworth visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Clubb at Holcomb, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wanerka, accompanied by Mrs. Harriett Jones of Chicago, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jones at Lanark.

'Let Gov. Horner Alone' Hershey's Demand of Foes

Chicago, March 21.—(AP)—Harry B. Hershey, Democratic organization candidate for governor, wants political opponents to make him their target in place of Governor Horner.

The Taylorville Democrat declared at Galesburg last night that some politicians seek to make Governor Horner "an issue in this campaign."

"I am the candidate for governor, not Henry Horner," Hershey said. "Let them attack me. Let them smear me, but let them leave Henry Horner alone."

Hershey referred to members of a rival Democratic slate and to Republican candidates who have charged that a small group of appointed officeholders had assumed Horner's executive powers during the latter's illness.

"Political persecution of the governor may retard his convalescence," Hershey said.

Charges Reiterated
Benjamin Adamowski, speaking at Ottawa, reiterated charges that Horner's advisers were "usurping" his powers and were "extorting money from state employees and coercing them into supporting the boss-picked candidates." Adamowski is a candidate for the Democratic senatorial nomination in opposition to Senator James M. Slattery, the organization candidate.

Former U. S. Senator William H. Dietrich spoke on behalf of Slattery at Herrin last night, saying that the senator "typifies the kind of leadership Illinois needs in the Senate." The former senator also denounced the "rebel" Democratic candidates for accusations "which impute the honesty, ability and integrity of Governor Horner."

John H. Stelle, "insurgent" Democratic candidate for governor, told an Ottawa audience that, if elected, he would follow a program that would attract new industries to Illinois and encourage expansion of those already here.

HON. ARNOLD L. LUND
During the Legislature a year ago, Hon. Arnold L. Lund, sponsored a bill in the legislature to kill the liability clause, generally referred to as the "Dram Shop Act."

About 65 years ago, the people of Illinois wrote into the law of the state, this liability clause, making the saloon keeper or tavern owner, along with the property owner of the place, responsible for any personal or property damage to himself or another, where it can be proven that he was drinking in that particular liquor establishment.

Mr. Lund's bill did away with this clause and it was passed by both the House and the Senate. Our governor vetoed this bill. This left the liability clause intact.

Mr. and Mrs. Voter, the tavern people of Illinois are out boosting Mr. Lund as their candidate for Lieutenant Governor, through their periodicals and otherwise.

Do we want a man like Hon. A. L. Lund to be Lieutenant Governor or to be a member of the Senate next year? What do you think?

R. D. D.—From The Illinois Anti-Saloon League News.

HARD LUCK CATCHING
Bellville, Tex.—(AP)—W. E. Thomas, ambulance attendant, was sitting beside a patient in an ambulance speeding to a hospital.

The door rolled open and Thomas rolled out. He bounced along the highway for about 40 feet, rolled over a culvert into a ditch, suffered a broken jaw and lost many teeth.

He was helped back into the ambulance and rushed to the hospital with the original patient.

Barrett Outlines Way to Keep Vote from Being Stolen

George F. Barrett, Republican candidate for Attorney General, warned voters today that unless they mark the individual squares in front of every Republican candidate's name on the November ballots, as well as marking the party circle, their votes may be stolen.

Barrett's warning, which he is making almost daily this week at ward meetings and rallies throughout the county and which he explains by the use of diagrams and posters, is a part of his campaign to end all types of vote frauds in Illinois.

Barrett, who is one of the state's outstanding authorities on election laws, is this week distributing a half million copies of a pamphlet in which he outlines not only the most common methods of stealing votes, but also a detailed program for making such frauds impossible.

"The voters themselves can do a great deal to prevent short-penciling," Barrett said. If a ballot is marked only by an X in the Republican party circle, it is supposed to indicate a vote for every Republican candidate. However, if an X then is placed in the square in front of the name of any Democratic candidate, that Democratic gets one vote and his Republican opponent loses one.

"What happens when a ballot with nothing marked except the party circle falls into the hands of a dishonest election clerk or judge? The vote thief puts X's in front of as many Democratic names as he can. He uses a short

pencil or, in many cases, a piece of lead which he conceals under his fingernail. Some of these thieves become very expert. Without anyone else knowing what they are doing, they quickly change a straight Republican ballot to a straight Democratic ballot. The X is left in the Republican party circle, but he also puts an X in front of every Democrat's name and the X's in the individual squares are the ones which are counted.

"The surest way for Republican voters to make this particular type of vote theft impossible is to mark your ballot completely. Put an X in the Republican circle and then put an X in every individual square in front of every Republican candidate's name."

Sales Tax Applied to More Articles April 1

Springfield, Ill., March 21.—(AP)—State Finance Director S. L. Nudelman said today that the state sales tax would be collected after April 1 on merchandise that hitherto was not taxable because it was shipped in from other states.

The new ruling resulted from recent decisions of the U. S. Supreme court holding valid local sales taxation on goods coming into the state. Nudelman said.

The tax will be collected from dealers engaged in business in Illinois where they transfer merchandise shipped from outside the state to Illinois buyers.

Soon to start will be the plan combining passenger train and automobile rental service. Under the plan long train trips will be broken by part-time travel in automobiles.

Cross Says GOP Will Keep House Control in Fall

Springfield, Ill., March 21.—(AP)—Speaker Hugh W. Cross predicted today that Republicans would retain control of the Illinois house of representatives "without a doubt" in the November elections.

Cross, a Republican candidate for lieutenant governor, also said he saw a "good" chance that Republicans would win a majority in the state senate, now controlled by Democrats.

"Of course I expect the Republican ticket to win in November," Cross said, "but regardless of the vote for state or national offices I am confident we can maintain and even increase our majority in the house."

But I'm not conceding the Democrats anything in Illinois," he added.

Republicans obtained a majority in the house for the first time since 1930 last year when 79 Republicans and 74 Democrats were elected. Democrats control the senate by a vote of 31 to 20.

Basing his estimate on the number of state representatives to be nominated in each district, Cross said Republicans were "absolutely certain" of 66 seats in the house to 63 for the Democrats.

56 "No Contests"

There will be "no contest" in 26 districts where party leaders are nominating only a total of three candidates for the assembly. In those districts nomination will be equivalent to election.

In the remaining 25 districts Cross figured on a basis of present

seats in the house that Republicans would get two representatives in 14 districts and Democrats two in the other 11 districts. This would give Republicans 79 votes to 74, the present strength.

However, the speaker said he expected two Republicans would be elected in the Sixth (Evanston-Chicago's north shore district), where two Democrats were elected in 1938 when only one Republican was nominated.

Even though Republicans might lose as many as two districts where they now have control, the G. O. P. still would retain control of the house, he pointed out.

Asserting that the outlook was favorable for election of a Republican majority in the senate, Cross pointed out that of the 25 senators whose terms expire this year 17 are Democrats and only eight Republicans. All of the senators are from downstate. Cross said he based his prediction of GOP gains on the Republican trend as evidenced in the 1938 election.

Illinois enjoys the enviable (?) distinction of having paid \$79,937,432 national liquor tax in 1939, more than any other state. The total for all states was \$602,015,511. Pennsylvania, Indiana, Kentucky and New York ranked next in the order given.

It is reported that automobiles are more dangerous than the sea to American sailors. During 1939, 54 sailors were killed in auto accidents, while only 33 drowned.

Barrett for Illinois Police Free of Political Rules

George F. Barrett, Republican candidate for Attorney General, declared in an address before a women's mass meeting of White-side county Republican organization in Morrison yesterday that he will propose to the next governor and legislature the organization of a new state police unit "as free from political domination as the G-men in Washington."

In outlining his plan, Barrett said: "It is common knowledge that the great success of our force of national G-men has been made possible because that department is politically free. I do not propose the reducing of any of our present state police forces, but it is just common sense to assert that the same thing can be done on a state-wide scale in Illinois that has been done by the G-men in national crime prevention and in apprehension of criminals."

Politics Out
"In Illinois, as in Washington, this department should be headed by and composed of only men who can pass severe tests. They would secure their position strictly on a basis of fitness. Politics would play absolutely no part in their selection or in their investigations. Such a force would be of special value in the drive which I have pledged to inaugurate if elected. Attorney General, the drive to end vote frauds."

"The slipperiest criminal of them all is the vote thief. He is also the most dangerous and the

lowest of them all because he is the destroyer of the basic principle of American government. He steals from the majority of the people and sometimes changes them to a minority. He helps establish minority rule in a country where our forefathers founded on the principle that the majority should govern."

"I have a workable, sound plan for ending election fraud in Illinois and especially in Cook county. That plan will be put into operation if I am elected. A police unit such as that which I will recommend would be a great help in carrying out these plans."

"Such a force would also be of great help in the prevention of crime because its power would soon be felt just as the power and efficiency of the G-men has proved a retarding influence against crimes which come under national police jurisdiction."

FIELD MEN CONFER

At the call of Superintendent Delheimer the field men assembled in Springfield February 1 for a day of counsel and conference in the parlors of the First Methodist church. Problems were presented and considered in the light of experience from every part of the state. In the evening Sam Morris of Del Rio, Texas, delivered one of his cyclonic denunciations of intemperance in the auditorium of the Springfield high school.

Illinois Anti-Saloon League News.

It is estimated that during 1939 approximately \$266,000,000 of automotive materials were exported. This is a 6 per cent decrease from the 1938 figure of \$282,813,952.

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POLITICS

AP Reports Gossip Among Politicians in Washington

BY D. HAROLD OLIVER
Washington, March 21.—(AP)—Talk of a Hull-Farley Democratic ticket was revived on Capitol Hill today as discussion of the Postmaster General's unreserved announcement of his candidacy ran the gamut of interpretations. Most senators expressed the opinion that the cabinet officer, in saying flatly his name would be presented to the Democratic national convention, did so believing that President Roosevelt would not be a candidate for a third term.

A few, talking privately, interpreted the announcement as placing Farley in the same category as Vice-President Garner—a candidate whether the president runs or not. Farley would not clear up this point in talking to reporters yesterday at Springfield, Mass.

One influential New Deal senator from the east, as close to the chief executive as anyone in congress, said he did not know what was in the president's mind but he thought Farley had acted in the belief Roosevelt wanted to retire.

Garner forces expressed private elation over Farley's action. They voiced the opinion that Farley was in the race to stay, third term candidacy or not.

In No Combination
But any hope which the Garnerites might have held for a coalition of forces to "stop Roosevelt" appeared to have been blasted by Farley's statement that he was "in no combination with anybody". One southern senator, preferring not to be quoted by name, said Farley had told him he had obtained the distinct impression at a White House conference that the president wanted to retire, but had not heard the chief executive say he would not accept the nomination if tendered.

Some senators, in support of their argument that Farley was not out to buck Roosevelt, noted that the Democratic chairman had not said whether his name would be presented to the convention for president or vice president.

Should the president decide not to run, they said, Farley would be in a good position for the second place nomination if the head of the ticket came from the west or border states.

FORRESTON

Mrs. Fred Deuth Reporter

Schools Dismissed

The Forreston schools were dismissed this afternoon for the Easter vacation, until Tuesday morning.

Chalk Talk

Mrs. Harry Ostick gave a chalk talk this afternoon for the pupils of the grade school, in the gymnasium.

Western Visitor

Rev. Allie Fonken of Hawk Springs, Wyoming, visited friends in this vicinity the first of the week. He was called here on account of the death of his sister, Mrs. Helena Snively at Freeport.

Visits Parents

Miss Verna Timmer, teacher at Nekosia, Wis., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Timmer this week. Lee Timmer, student at DePaul university, Chicago, arrived yesterday.

Home for Vacation

Roy Moore of the Milwaukee School of Electrical Engineering, is home for the Easter vacation.

Students Expected

Gerald Deuth, William Butler, Milford Gesin and Warren Schmidt are expected home today from University of Illinois.

Parents of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hambley of Polo are the parents of a daughter born at Dixon hospital, March 17. Mrs. Hambley was the former Miss Helen Maas, granddaughter of Folkert J. Maas of Forreston.

Attended Jubilee

Mrs. Lyle Marks attended the golden jubilee of the Leaf River Woman's club at the home of Mrs. Faye Schreiber today.

Town Topics

Rev. and Mrs. F. K. Mertz and Miss Alice Michael attended the funeral today of the ladies' aunt, Mrs. Ellen Geist, 85, at Brookville.

Miss Emma Eakle went to Corona, Ill. this week to visit in the home of her niece, Mrs. Lawrence Peterson.

Mrs. Benj. Ray, two sons and daughter of Rockford visited her daughter Miss Caroline Ray last evening.

CHURCH NOTES

First Evangelical Church
The services at the First Evangelical church for Easter Sunday are as follows:

Sunrise service at 6:30 with Rev. S. G. Manus of the Forreston Grove Presbyterian church as the speaker.

Church school at 9:45 with B. H. Unangst superintendent. Divine worship at 10:45. Sermon, "There Is Time."

There will be a baptismal and

reception of members at this time.

Lutheran Church

Easter Sunday, sunrise service at 6 o'clock. Three trumpeters, Joe Anderson, Misses Beth Hower and Patricia Stoner will play. The senior and junior choirs will sing. Sermon theme is "Christ Is Risen."

9:30 Sunday school 10:30. The regular service of worship and reception of new members. Sermon theme, "Jesus Overcomes Death for Us." Both choirs will again sing.

The War Today—

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was speaking under stress of emotion. The government was being attacked in parliament on the grounds that it had been allowing Herr Hitler to hold the initiative. The French cabinet also was under such heavy fire that it quickly fell.

Naturally when the conduct of the war is being challenged, the war minister feels a responsibility and one can't blame him for feeling piqued when people call the conflict in language culled from the ring—"a phony war". I don't know whether he was speaking of Americans or some other blood-thirsty people, but if the remark was directed at us it does seem a wee bit strong.

However, if we consider this as a continuation of the last one, we really have paid for our ring-side seats (though maybe I should not speak of war debts). And as paying spectators we reserve the right not to tell the fighters how to proceed, but to pass such comment as is permitted to neutral observers.

At another point Stanley declared "none can remain indifferent to the struggle" and added: "We may fight their battles for them."

Here again, it isn't clear whether he was speaking to America, but even if he were we are entitled not to feel too downcast over it. He was referring to us, however when he said that people across the ocean are thinking "How are we going to keep out of it, but they're in it". That really is the only part of the speech we have need to be concerned about. Here apparently is another of the legion of Britons who think America should be in the war and don't hesitate to say so.

In this connection it is interesting to look back to a speech made by War Minister Stanley's father in New York at a dinner of the Pilgrims of the United States, in 1930. "If I were in your place I would not think for a moment of getting into any entangling alliance or treaty. Keep out of it—keep out of it. There is no reason why you should not and thus make your influence felt more".

That tone is more suited to the peculiarities of Americans. Speeches condemning us for not entering the war are a grave disservice to amicable relations. We give our sympathies where we will but, having decided for good and sufficient reasons that we want to stay out of this war, it tends to irk us to be chided and propagandized all the time.

Now being tested in Italy is a mechanism that will enable the pilot of a transport plane to drop his passengers like bombs if danger arises. Safety hooks, worked by an electric mechanism hold the seats and entire cabin. The passengers are supplied with parachutes; and, by moving a lever, the pilot releases the passengers from the cabin to parachute to safety.

WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Warling Reporter Telephone L291

R. N. A. Meet

The Royal Neighbors of America met at the home of Mrs. Eugene Whitver on Tuesday afternoon with thirteen members present. The regular order of business was conducted by the oracle, Martha Epperson. Mrs. Mary Krapp gave an interesting talk on her trip to Florida. Two tables of whist were played with high score prize going to Mrs. Frank Wolf and low to Mrs. Frank Odell. The next meeting will be in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Clifford Wise. A delicious scramble lunch was served.

Needle Threaders Club

Mrs. Ivan Krieger of Ohio was hostess to the Needle Threaders on Wednesday afternoon with eleven members and three guests. Mrs. Howard Ogan, Miss Evelyn Willavize and Mrs. Maude Minkler, all of Ohio. The afternoon was spent sewing and visiting. The next club will meet March 29 with Mrs. Everett Larson. A dainty lunch was served.

Pinochle Club

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lauritzen were hosts to their pinochle club on Tuesday evening, with three tables at play. High score prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brandenburg and low prizes to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Wise. Traveling prizes went to Mrs. Francis Lowery and Lloyd Christensen. The next club will meet April 9 with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crase. A delicious lunch was served.

Koffee Klatchers' Club

Mrs. Melvin Kaston was hostess to the Koffee Klatchers bridge club on Wednesday afternoon with three tables at play. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. Valda Blonden and 80 honor to Mrs. Floyd Gustafson. Mrs. Valda Blonden was a club guest.

The next club will meet April 3 with Lorene Peach. A dainty lunch was served.

Note Heads and Formals.

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1,275,000 GOP Votes April 9 are Predicted

A forecast that more than 1,275,000 Republican votes will be cast in the primary of April 9 was made public today by Justus L. Johnson, of Aurora, Republican candidate for Secretary of State.

Johnson, veteran political leader and considered one of the most astute in the Illinois GOP, based his prediction on an increase over the 1936 Republican primary vote, when 1,077,295 ballots were marked. He said that downstate Illinois will cast 20 per cent more, the country townships of Cook county 20 per cent more, and the city of Chicago 15 per cent more.

"I used the 1936 vote as my base", he said, "because that is the last time when there were similar contests to the 1940 primary. Many prognostications and surveys have been computed, on an increase over the average of the 1934, 1936, and 1938 primary votes. But 1934 and 1938 were 'off year' elections when few major offices were to be filled and a consequent light vote resulted. The 1938 Republican primary vote was particularly low because there were no important state wide contests.

Determined By Trend
"My percentage increase of 15 per cent and 20 per cent were determined from the trend of Republican gains. The increase in Republican percentage of the total vote from the general election of November 1936 to the general election of November 1938 was 7.6. Doubling that figure, on the generally recognized fact that the trend is continuing at the same rate, gives us a percentage increase of 15.2. This is putting it conservatively because when trends start they invariably increase in geometrical progression, up to a certain point. My prediction is that this point will not be reached until the November 1940 election, itself.

"Another measure of the great swing in sentiment to the Republican party was recorded in the 1939 mayoralty contests in both Chicago and downstate Illinois.

"In arriving at this figure, I am not counting in for a definite percentage the approximately half million new voters who the U. S. Census Bureau shows became of age since the 1936 Republican primary. (From this amount, of course, the number of deaths of

voting citizens, would have to be deducted). These young people have been flocking, in ever increasing thousands, to the Republican party, because jobs, opportunity, and a chance to become the kind of citizens they desire to be have not been allowed them by the New Deal. Instead, the present administration has weakened them on a philosophy of despair and is still trying to force it down their throats.

Some Bound By Law
"I estimate a gain of only 15 per cent for Chicago because the many independent Republican voters who switched to the Democratic primary in the 1939 mayoralty will be bound by the law confining them to the same party for 23 months.

"A breakdown of the state total shows that 760,000 votes will be cast downstate, 115,000 in the country townships of Cook county, and 400,000 in the city of Chicago."

Johnson can speak authoritatively on this subject because, in his various official capacities with the Republican party in Illinois, he has for years issued reliable forecasts of trends and sizes of the vote. In 1934 he was State Chairman of the Republican party. For 22 years he has been a member of the State Central Committee, with which body he has served at state headquarters as Chairman, Treasurer, Secretary, Chairman of the Executive Committee, of Organization, of Speakers, and today as Chairman of Public Relations.

He is, in his own right, one of the consistently top-flight vote

getters in the Republican party. In 1938 he was elected Clerk of the Appellate Court for the Northern District of Illinois by a majority in excess of 134,000 votes, which was far more than any other candidate for a state and district office polled. He led his Democratic opponent in every one of the 32 counties comprising this district. Even in the Democratic landslide year of 1932, he was selected to this same office by a plurality of 61,000 votes which actually exceeded the plurality of the Republican candidates for Governor and President by over 55,000.

Snow Storm is Reported To Be Moving Eastward

Chicago, March 21.—(AP)—A weather disturbance over Iowa brought light snow today to a narrow strip extending across four middle western states.

The strip ran from Chicago south to about Springfield, Ill., west into Iowa and east into Indiana and Michigan. The storm started over the great plains and was moving eastward rapidly.

Temperatures generally were 5 to 19 degrees below normal in the Great Lakes area.

Nightlike darkness hovered over Chicago this morning. The condition was attributed to a combination of snow, low-hanging clouds and heavy smoke and a lack of wind.

No Christians are permitted to stay in Mecca. Accredited foreign diplomats live at Jeddah.

Security Board Favors Variable Grants for Aged

Washington, March 21.—(AP)—The Social Security board favors variable federal grants to states for old age assistance instead of the present system of matching state payments.

Chairman Arthur J. Altmeyer told a house appropriations subcommittee, in testimony made public today, that the board felt the grants should be related to the economic capacity and need of the individual states.

"We do not favor a free fund to administrative agency which must then determine for itself and on such basis as it deems reasonable how much each state should get," he said.

Other testimony before the subcommittee brought out these statements: Isadore Lubin, labor department statistician, said that if war continues, retail prices will go up and labor will demand higher wages. An end to war, he said, would increase unemployment and cause prices to drop.

"Too Drastic a Penalty"
Chairman J. Warren Madden of the labor board, in reply to a question by Rep. Tarver (D-Ga.) expressed the opinion that outlawing labor unions which violate contracts with employers would be too drastic a penalty.

George C. McNulty, general counsel of the wage-hour division,

said that 29 year old Joseph Rauh had been out of law school only four years when put in charge of writing the division's opinions.

Rep. Engel (R-Mich) commented that he regarded Rauh as "very brilliant", but added, "in my judgment he is trying to assume a responsibility which is beyond his age and beyond his immature judgment."

Arch A. Mercey, assistant director of the government film service, said that \$331,000 was supplied by WPA, PWA, and Farm Security Administration for film production, but that no relief workers were hired.

The public health service reported it was developing a new method of producing vaccine for Rocky Mountain spotted fever from embryonic chick tissue.

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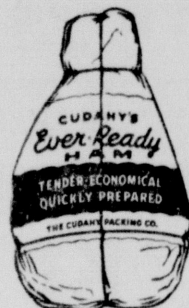
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Weekly Food and Marketing Letter by Mrs. George Thurn for Dixon Telegraph Readers

Potatoes are so much a part of the daily diet that the usual question is not whether to have them for dinner, but rather in what form to cook them.

The average homemaker does not go adventuring with potatoes, but stays within the narrow bounds of boiled, mashed, fried, baked and hashed potatoes. Yet there are about 500 known potato recipes.

Although potatoes have become a staple of our diet, a cook book dated 1750 gives only two recipes for this vegetable. One of them winds up: "Peel them, lay them evenly on a plate and pour over them thick melted butter. This may appear trifling to some persons but the family servant will thank us."

The famous "Irish" potatoes weren't known in Europe until nearly 100 years after Columbus visited America. Moreover, the Irish potato isn't Irish and it isn't a potato. In the words of Roy Chapman Andrews, it is really a tomato, and like the tomato it is a member of the nightshade family. Although it was discovered in 1583 in Colombia, South America, by Pedro de Siza de Leon, this vegetable did not begin its travels until fifty years later, when a ship took potatoes to Spain.

Mr. Andrews goes on to write: "From Spain potatoes went to Austria; from Austria to Germany and eventually all over the world. The potato didn't make a great impression on the Irish until 1663. In those days they used it as a breakfast food and dipped boiled potatoes in salted milk."

From Europe the potato came to North America — there were none on this continent when white men landed. As a matter-of-fact, the first potato patch planted in this country was in New Hampshire 1719.

Once a luxury, potatoes have become one of the most common and one of the most valuable of all foods. Perhaps one of the secrets of the potato's success is its ability to "get along" in almost any food company. Yes, the potato is a good mixer; it is a fine neutralizer of disagreeable acids and is generous in its supply of minerals and vitamins.

Rich and poor enjoy potatoes, for this food is no respecter of persons. Nutritious and at the same time inexpensive, the potato enjoys popularity in every income level.

Medical and food authorities join in deploring the tendency of dieters to skimp on potatoes. The Federal Bureau of Home Economics has a cheerful message for the woman whose appetite suggests potatoes, but who shuns them for fear of encouraging a generous waist-line. Food experts state that one medium-sized potato totals the same number of calories (100) as one large apple, or one large orange, or one medium-sized soda biscuit, or one and one-half pounds of French salad dressing.

Potatoes that pile up the nation's \$400,000,000 harvest are distinguished geographically, among the best known being the Maine, Idaho and Long Island products.

It would seem difficult to spoil a potato by cooking it badly, but this too often is the case.

Nutritionists advise cooking potatoes in their jackets whenever possible, to preserve both food values and flavor. The trick of serving a good boiled potato actually is not a part of the cookery process. The important step is draining the water from boiled potatoes immediately, to prevent waterlogging. The trick is in drying the potatoes by shaking them over a fire, after they have been thoroughly drained.

Texture is the critical test of superior mashed potatoes. If boiled potatoes are to be served in mashed form, they should be put through the ricer as soon as they are done. Or mash them immediately, then put through the ricer to press out every small lump, before beating in hot milk (or milk and cream) butter and seasonings.

Baked potatoes often are overcooked. The skin must be broken and pressed slightly to let out the steam as soon as the potato comes out of the oven. Stuffed baked potatoes are a welcome treat on the luncheon plate, and may take the place of meat, when meat is the place of meat, when meat is the place of meat. Grated cheese is mixed with the seasoned pulp, butter and cream. Grated cheese, or a slice of American cheese may be used to top the stuffed potato, which goes under the broiler for a last-minute golden-brown puff. Another topping is thin sausage slices, or tiny frankfurters split.

Stuffed baked potatoes will solve the problem of an unexpectedly delayed meal, for the mixture may be plumped into the jackets, and stored in a moderately warm oven, without becoming soggy, as do the plain baked.

Many cooks shy away from cooking potatoes in deep shortening. Yet Cooking School demonstrations have proved the simplicity and the digestibility of these recipes, when pure products are used.

Beat two or three eggs well, add to rice or mashed potatoes, and fry this batter quickly in hot shortening. Flat pancakes made from raw potatoes, with grated

onion added to the seasoning, are popular with hungry men.

Potato soup should not be overlooked. This dish has many variations, chief among which is the savory Maine potato chowder. This is started much like the famous New England clam chowder, with diced salt pork, which is tried-out before the thinly-sliced onion is added. Diced potatoes are par-boiled and about a pint of their cooking water is added to the onion and pork mixture, and the whole is simmered until the potatoes are tender. One acknowledged expert adds one cup of yellow or white cornmeal, before pouring in one quart of rich milk, finally adding seasonings and a generous cut of butter. Authentic chowder must be poured over broken crackers, and bits of crisp fried salt pork are added at serving time.

Many bakers offer potato bread, made from mashed or raw potatoes, and potato water is used by a large percentage of home-makers who prefer to do their own baking.

No chronicle of potato favorites would be complete without mention of scalloped potatoes, which should be covered during the first half of the baking in a moderate oven, and served piping hot. Half cream helps this popular dish.

TIMELY TEMPTERS

Hot Cross Buns

Eager appetites will greet these buns at any season:

Two cakes compressed yeast, one-third cup sugar, two-thirds cup milk, scalded, three and one-half cups flour, one-half cup melted shortening, three-fourths teaspoon salt, three eggs, unbeaten, two-thirds cup currants, one-half teaspoon cinnamon.

Soften yeast and dissolve sugar in milk, cooled to lukewarm. Add one cup flour and beat. Add shortening, salt, eggs, and two and one-half cups flour. Beat three minutes. Cover and let rise until double in bulk—about one hour. Mix currants and cinnamon, add to dough, and mix lightly. Roll one inch thick and cut with 2½ inch floured cutter. Shape into buns, place two inches apart in baking pans rubbed with pan-coat (flour and shortening mix), and brush tops with slightly beaten egg white.

Allow to rise until very light. Using scissors, snip tops of buns at right angles to form cross. Bake in moderate oven 35 degrees for 12 minutes. To the remaining egg white, add confectioner's sugar to make a frosting. Form cross with frosting one each bun. Makes two dozen.

Fresh Rhubarb

Nothing is more tempting than the early pink rhubarb, even though it does cost more than the later outdoors edition.

To keep rhubarb's true color and flavor, bake it. Cut in convenient sections, sprinkle with sugar, cover tightly and bake in a slow oven, 325 degrees, one hour. Chill and add fresh pineapple cuts, or a small tin of shredded pineapple.

Potato Puff

Three cups hot riced potatoes, three tablespoons butter, one-third cup hot milk one teaspoon salt, one-fourth teaspoon pepper, one tablespoon minced onion two egg whites, stiffly beaten, paprika.

Beat potatoes with butter, milk, salt, pepper and onion. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour in buttered baking utensil. Sprinkle with paprika and bake in hot oven, 450 degrees, fifteen minutes until lightly browned. For variety, top with a grating of cheese. Six servings.

EASY EASTER MENU

The satisfactory holiday menu is the one that lends itself to maximum Saturday preparation and minimum Sunday completion.

Springtime green and yellow is a popular scheme for Easter table decoration, and these colors may be followed through easily in the menu. Why not start the dinner with grapefruit, topped with mint ice, (or a mint sprig), roast capon, new potatoes, served with a butter and chopped parsley sauce, buttered carrot cubes surrounded with green peas, whole olives and celery, pineapple salad with sliced banana and orange sections, garnished with green cherries, or a molded lime gelatin salad.

Dessert allows many choices: Sponge cake with green icing, or Green Gage plums; molded gelatin, lemon sponge pie, or a fruit cup, if the fruit entree is omitted.

Stuff the capon the day before; it may be partially roasted Saturday. Prepare the mint cocktail and store in freezing tray of mechanical refrigerator, or in individual paper cups.

Mint Ice: Four cups water, two cups granulated sugar, three-fourths cup lemon juice, one-half teaspoon mint extract, green liquid color and turn into freezing tray of refrigerator. Freeze with cold control set at lowest point. Stir at intervals.

Place water and sugar in saucepan and bring to boiling point. Cool and add lemon juice and mint extract. Tint with green liquid coloring and turn into freezing tray of refrigerator. Freeze with cold control set at lowest point. Stir at intervals.

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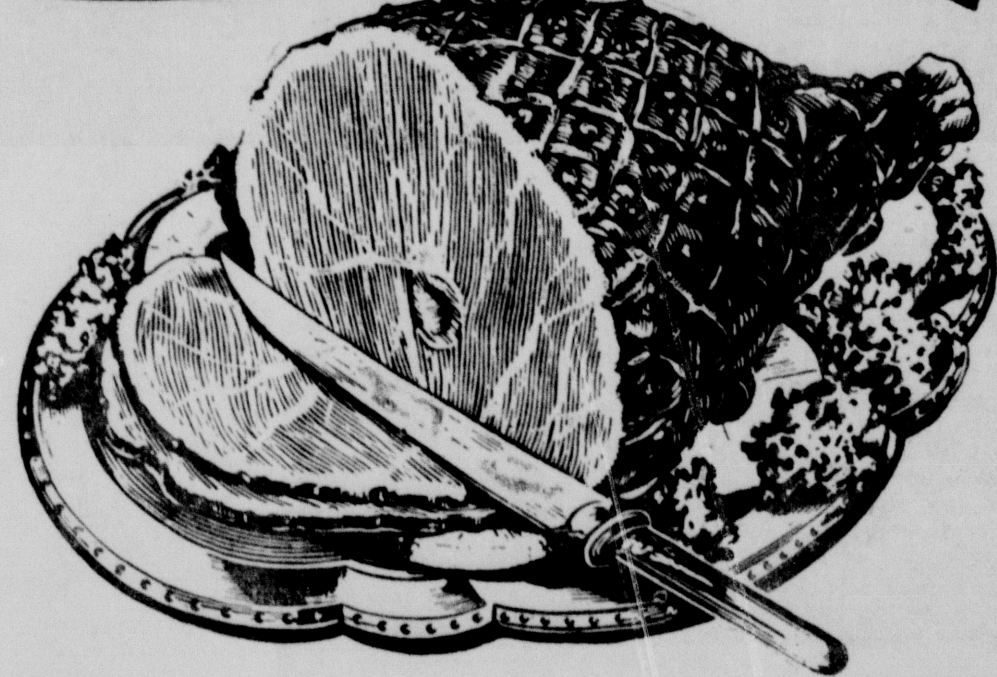
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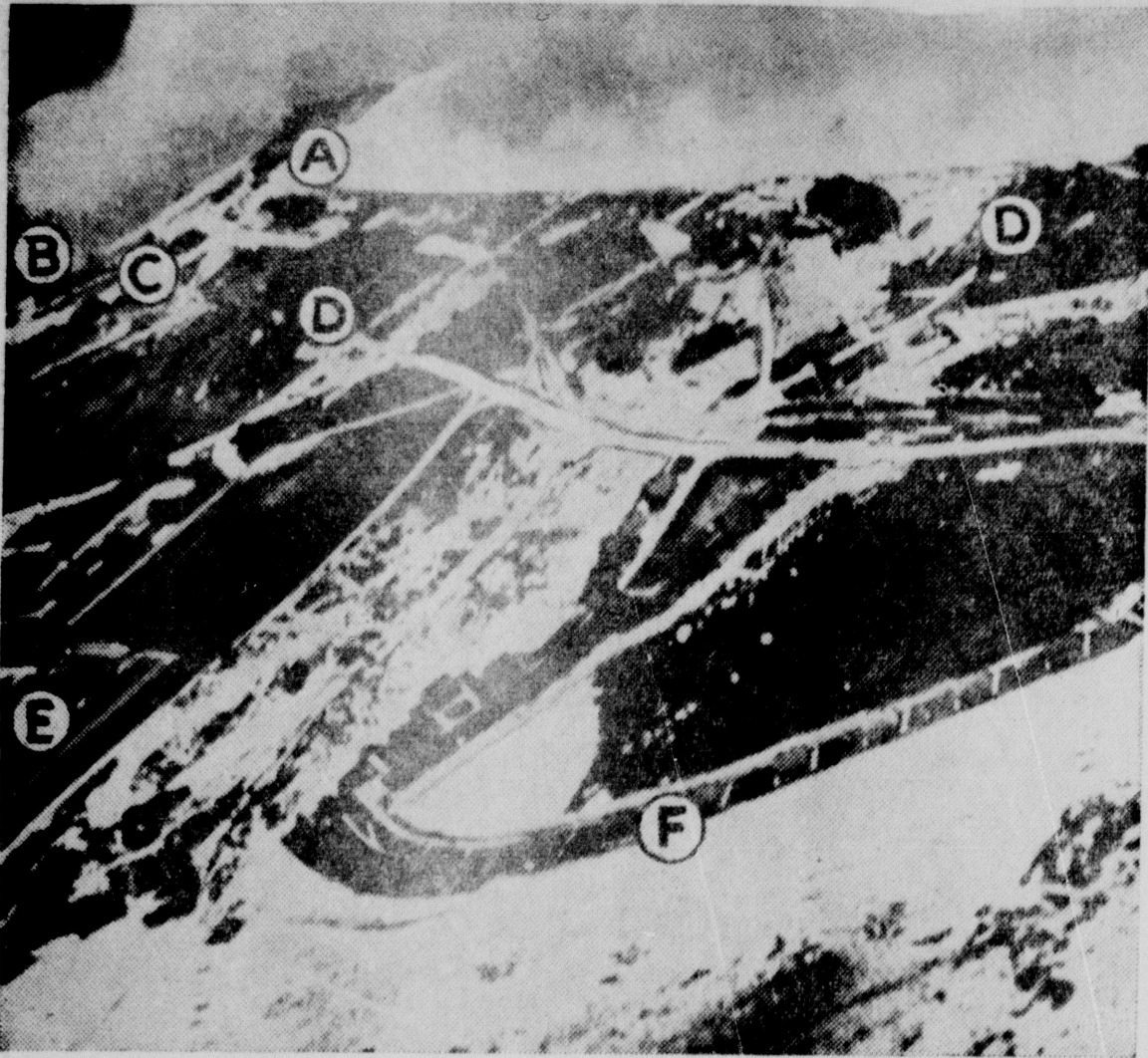
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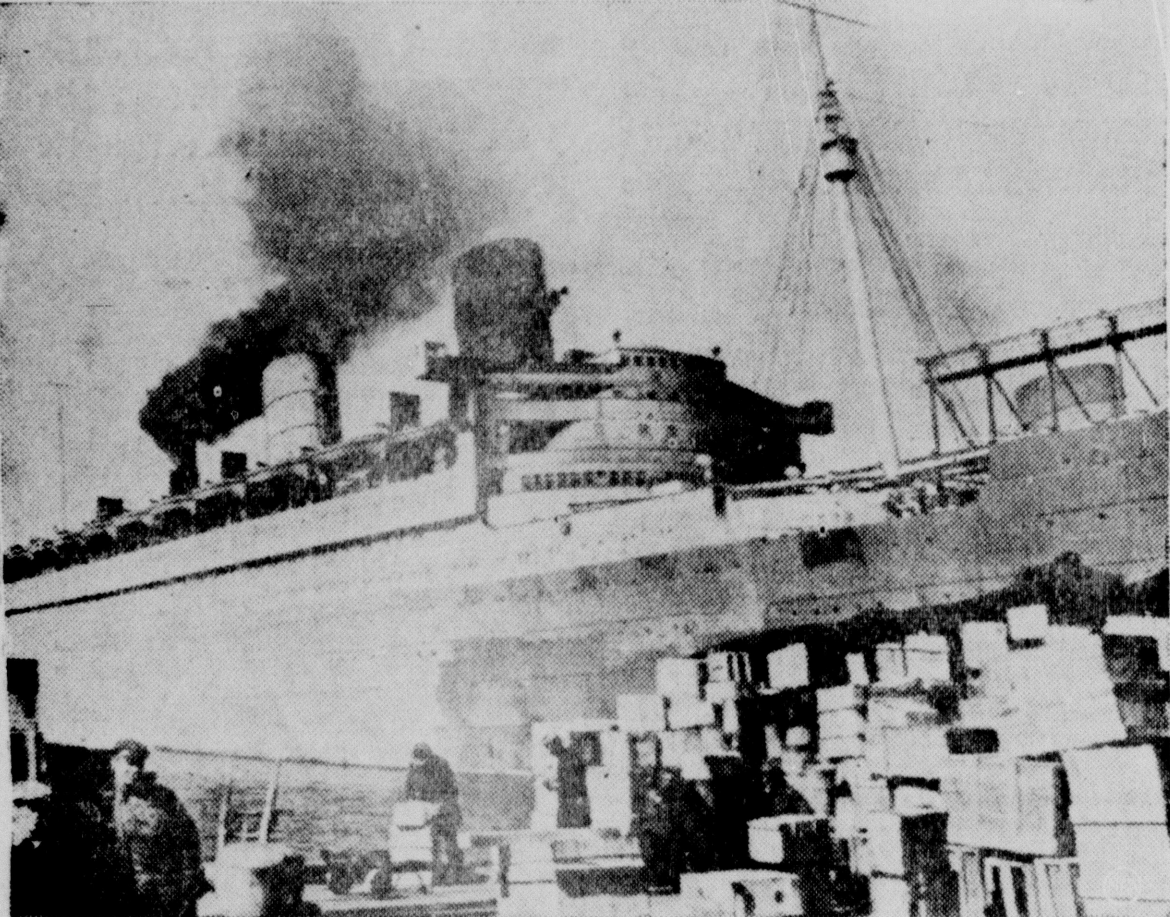
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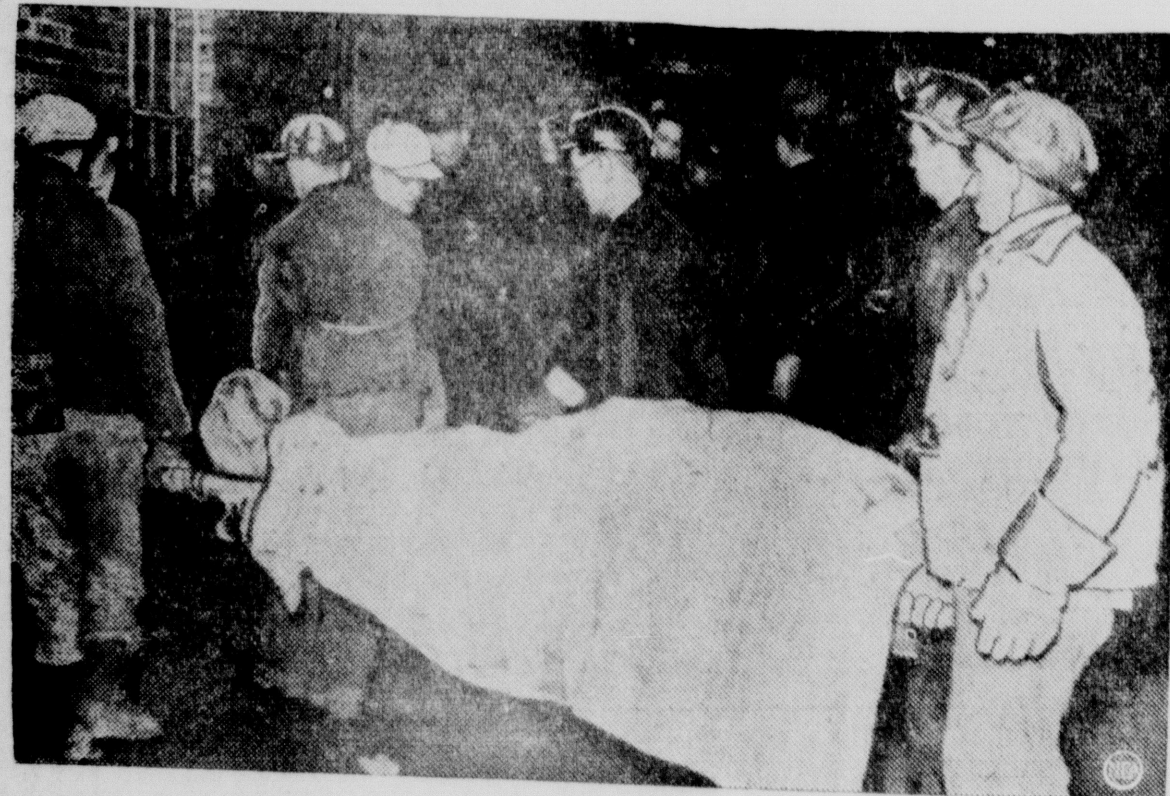
Royal air force photograph of seaplane base on Sylt island, German fortress in North sea which was bombed by British planes. Important objectives of raid: (A) inner harbor; (B) crane to lift planes from water; (C) hangar; (D, E) officers' quarters; (F) sports field; (G) barracks.

Queen Mary Prepares for Ocean Dash



Smoke pours from two after stacks of the Queen Mary at its pier in New York as the liner apparently got up steam for sudden departure. In foreground are crates of "cash and carry" goods to be placed aboard.

Mine Blast Dead Put at 73



Miners removing one of victims of the Willow Grove mine explosion, St. Clairsville, O., to a temporary morgue. Four bodies were recovered and all hope given up for 69 men still entombed.

British to Use Superliners as Troopships



Boarding a bus preparatory to being transferred to their new berths on docked superliners Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth, these British sailors, some of 770 to arrive in New York aboard Antonia, gave first official indication that the admiralty plans to man the two liners for immediate service as troop ships from Canada and Australia.

Easter Lily Queen



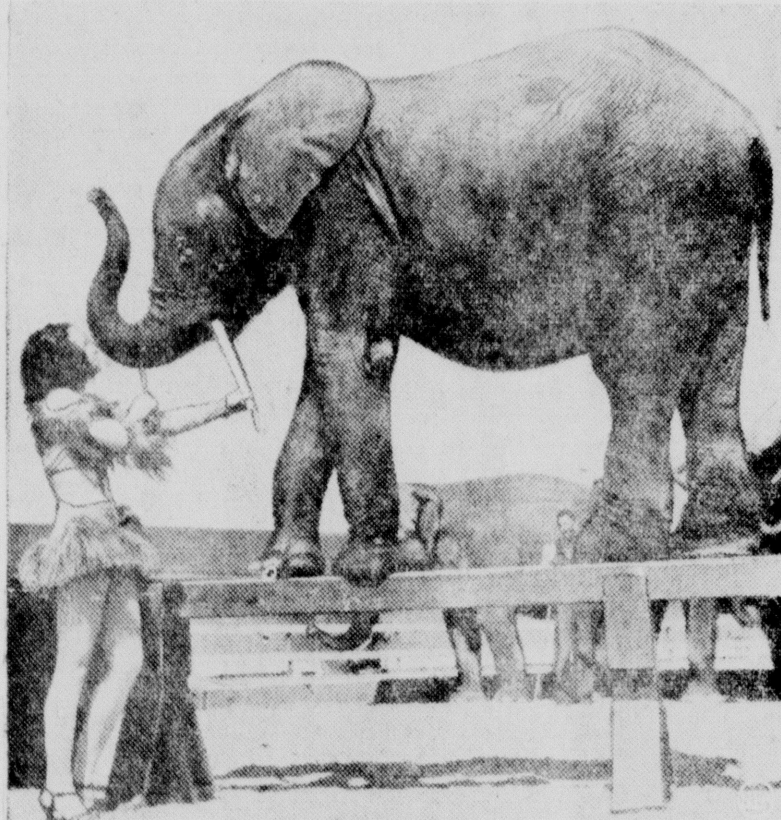
Carrying a huge bouquet of Easter lilies, symbolic of her title, Miss Margery Hasler of New York City is pictured in Bermuda, where she recently won the crown of Bermuda Lily Queen 1940.

Keep World Guessing



As result of this historic meeting between Adolf Hitler (left) and Benito Mussolini at Brenner Pass, the Fuehrer has announced Italy's willingness to join forces with him should the need arise. Mussolini has made no public statement. Picture radioed from Berlin.

Circus Is Just Around the Corner



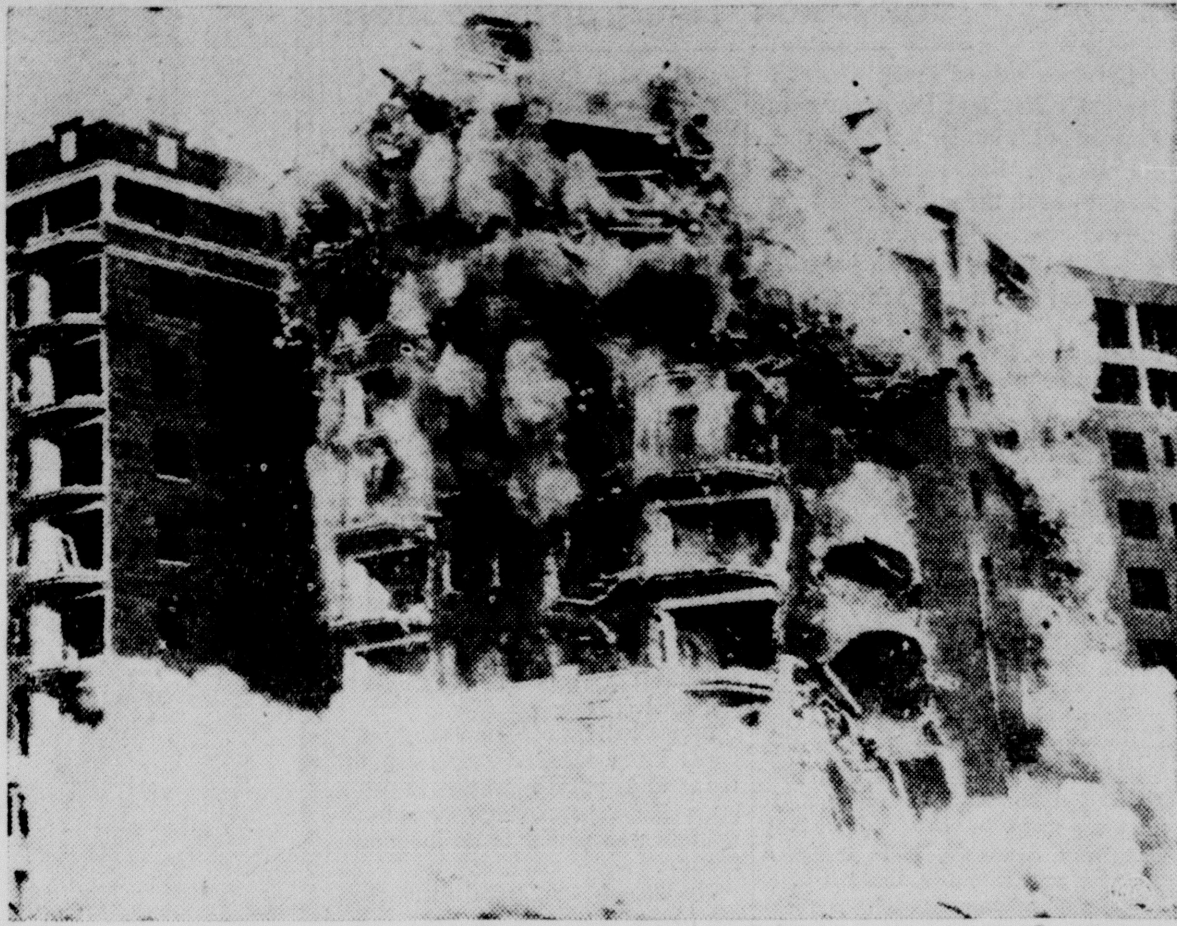
He's not pink and he is walking that single-rail fence. His name's Pouqua and he's said to be the world's only performing pygmy elephant. He's getting his final training before the circus goes on the road from Mrs. Evelyn McClain at the Ringling Brothers, Barnum and Bailey circus winter quarters in Sarasota, Fla.

First Jewish Refugees from Italy



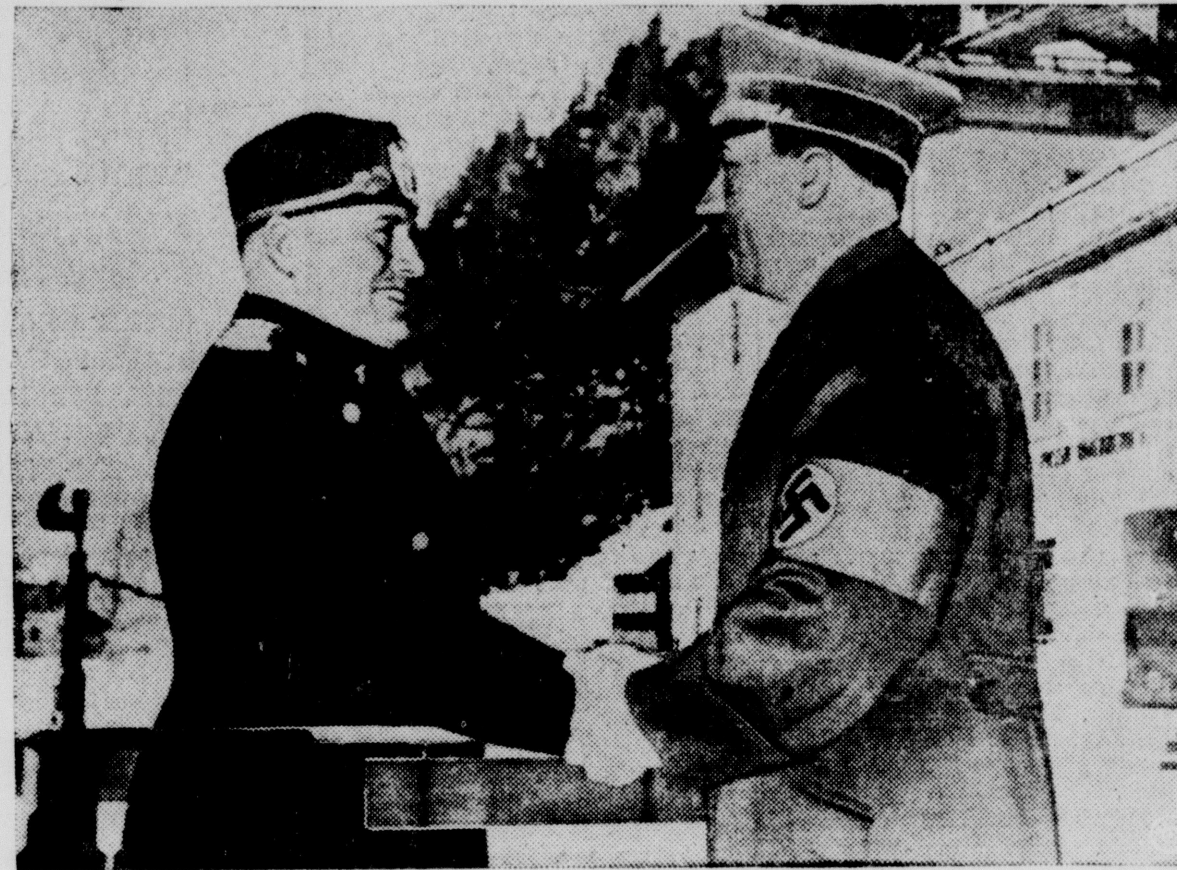
Sisters, Nerea (left) and Nives Engel, the first Jewish refugees to leave Italy, are pictured as they arrived in New York recently. They came to America because Italian anti-semitic laws prevented them from finishing school in their native land.

Dynamite Clears Way for War Department



Charges of dynamite placed under every other pillar of this huge nine story apartment building in Washington, D. C., razed the structure to make way for the new \$26,000,000 war department building.

Hitler Mussolini, Confer at Border



An artist's composite of Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini against a background of Brennero, Italy, where the dictators met and conferred secretly for two hours and twelve minutes on issues that may change the course of the war.

Daladier and Cabinet Walk Out



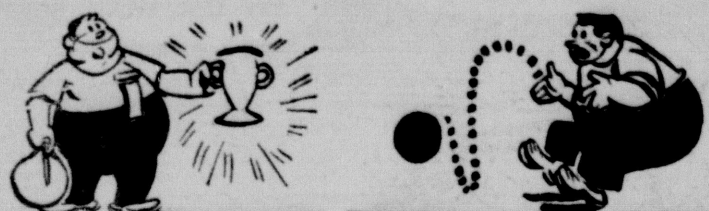
A radiophoto of Premier Daladier and members of his cabinet leaving the Elysee in Paris after handing resignations to President Lebrun. Left to right: Raymond Patenotre, Georges Bonnet, Edouard Daladier, Camille Chautemps, and Albert Sarraut.

Alleged Murder Syndicate Leaders



Martin Goldstein, Abe Reles, and Harry Strauss (left to right), named by District Attorney William O'Dwyer of Brooklyn, N. Y., as leaders of murder syndicate charged with at least 40 gang killings.

FANFARE



By DON DANIELSON.

ROBBED OF EASTER CHEER

A bit of the cheer of Easter will be missing for members of Captain George Schultz's Franklin Grove cribbage team this week end. At the regular weekly session of the tournament at Franklin Grove, the stalwarts of the Schultz team, John Vogt, Douglas Stultz and Charles Kelley fared badly from all reports. The depressing part of the Easter tide came last night at the Dixon fire department headquarters when the ever-welcome Franklinites arrived for one of the sessions. Capt. Dave Kelly and his partner, Joe Miller managed to hold their table to a tie for the evening with an 8 all count. Chief Sam Cramer and E. L. Fulmer were far less courteous to the visitors and scored a 12 to 4 win over their opponents which made a 20 to 12 victory for Dixon for the evening.

MEETING TOMORROW NIGHT

If you are interested in managing or sponsoring a softball team this season, you are asked to attend the important organization meeting at The Telegraph offices tomorrow night at 7:30.

TO HEAD ROCK RIVER CONFERENCE

L. S. Chamberlain, principal of the Rock Falls Township high school, was elected president of the Rock River conference at a meeting of principals and coaches Tuesday night at the Hotel Dixon here. O. W. Funkhouser, Amboy Township high school principal, was named vice-president and Willis E. Pittenger, principal of Polo Community high school, was chosen secretary and treasurer. The date for the conference track meet was set for Saturday evening, May 4, at 7 o'clock at Rochelle. It will be held under the lights of the field there.

COMING HOME SOON

Bill Foster, pro at the Dixon Country Club, writes to friends here that he will be home from Florida around April 15. "Have had a good time, although cold," says Foster on a card from Tampa.

LET THERE BE LIGHT

Dixon high school is likely to play its first football game of the 1940 season under lights. That is, of course, if the Rock Falls engagement is to be the first of the season. Word from the opponents' camp has it that the Dukes are scheduled to meet them on their newly lighted gridiron on the evening of Friday, Sept. 27. But what of the games to follow—light or dark?

ARCHERY CLUB MEETING

Although the snow today wasn't an indication of spring, the calendar promises better days ahead and tonight the Dixon Archery Club, takes up that hope with the first meeting of the season at the Boy Scout rooms over The Telegraph offices at 7:30 o'clock. Plans for the season will be outlined at this important session to which all members of the club are urged to attend.

"SPRING" VACATION

Frank Daschbach, Jr., former Dixon high school athlete, is spending a few days here with his parents during the spring recess from his studies at the University of Chicago. Arnold Swan and Earl Page, two members of the 1938 Dixon varsity football team and freshman numeral winners this year at Monmouth college, are also enjoying a brief vacation here.

TRAINING CAMP BRIEFS

FORTIFY CATCHING JOB

(By The Associated Press)

San Antonio, Texas.—To fortify their catching department since Joe Glenn has extended his holdout, the St. Louis Browns have signed George Susce, who was released unconditionally by the Pittsburgh Pirates.

CUBS' PITCHING WOES

San Bernardino, Calif.—Pitching woes have again beset Manager Gabby Hartnett of the Chicago Cubs. Clay Bryant, who pitched only 31 innings last year but was believed recovered from his lame arm, complained yesterday of a new soreness. Vance Page also showed up with a sore arm and asked to be excused from today's assignment against Pittsburgh. Rookies Jake Mooty and Vern Olsen have similar troubles.

CANDIDATE FOR TRIBE

Fort Myers, Fla.—A sensational relief hurler in 1938 and a complete flop in 1939, Johnny Humphries today declared himself a candidate for regular starting mound assignments with the Cleveland Indians this season.

DOM MAY SURVIVE

Sarasota, Fla.—Dom DiMaggio is likely to be the only freshman wearing a Boston Red Sox uniform this season. Manager Joe Cronin, after looking over his rookies thoroughly, already has decided which he will include in the first squad cut this week for the Durham and Rocky Mount farms. Most of the rookie survivors probably will wind up with Louisville or Little Rock next week.

ALLOWED ONE HIT

Hollywood, Fla.—In Kirby Higbee's airtight pitching the Phillies can draw some consolation from yesterday's 10-0 loss to the Cincinnati Reds.

Higbee allowed only one hit and no runner passed second.

"SPRING SENSATION"

Winter Haven, Fla.—A few more stupids of the kind young Dick Conger has been pulling for the Detroit Tigers will make him a "spring sensation." Never in pro-ball before, the west coast collegian has pitched nine scoreless innings and allowed only two hits.

A'S ROOKIE STAR

Los Angeles.—Al Brancato, a product of South Philadelphia sandlots whom Connie Mack decided at the 11th hour to take along to training camp, is paying unexpected dividends at third base. He walloped a double to give the A's a temporary lead yesterday against the Chicago Cubs.

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KNACKS CAGERS DEFEAT OREGON HOSTS LAST EVE

Local Team Wins Second Game in Two Nights; Season Nears End

Breathing along in the stride which carried them to a stunning victory over Lyndon the night before, the Dixon Knacks last evening went to Oregon where they thumped the Independents, 46 to 29.

The local cagers stepped out with an 11 to 7 lead at the end of the first period and were ahead, 18 to 13, at the intermission. Four baskets by Underwood, three by Boyd and two free throws by Bevilacqua, and one each by Boyd and Flanagan gave the Knacks their first half count. Tremble scored four buckets for the Independents in the same frame along with one free throw while Rhoads and Wildes each contributed one field goal.

In the second half the Knacks stepped out with four field goals apiece by McNamera and Bevilacqua, two each by Boyd and Underwood and one apiece by Ulrich and Flanagan for a total of 28 tallies.

Oregon scored 16 points in the last half with three buckets by Tremble, two by Wildes and one each by Rhoads and Vrona. Rhoads added two charity shots.

Tremble, Oregon forward, was high scorer of the contest with a total of 15 counters while Bob Underwood led the Knacks with 12 tallies.

Next week the locals will wind up their season in a mid-week game at Mendota.

Box score:

Knacks (46)	Fr	Ft	F	T
Bevilacqua, f	4	0	0	3
McNamera, f	4	0	0	3
Boyd, f	5	1	0	11
Ulrich, c	1	0	1	2
Flanagan, g	1	0	1	3
Underwood, g	6	0	0	12
Totals	21	4	2	46

Oregon (29)

Fr	Ft	F	T
Tremble, f	7	1	15
Holman, f	0	0	0
Rhoads, c	2	2	6
Eissie, g	0	0	2
Vrona, g	1	0	1
Wildes, g	3	0	6
Totals	13	3	42

Score by Quarters

Knacks	11	13	14	16
Oregon	7	13	17	29

DIXON KEGLERS ROLL IN MEET

Harold Schertner of the Dixon Coca Cola team rolled a 615 series with games of 202-178-235 last night as his team scored a total of 2791 in the Rock River handicap bowling tournament being rolled this month at the Dixon Recreation.

High individual honors are still held by Schneider of Elgin with a 253 game and the Barclay Photo quintet, also of Elgin, hold high team total with 2868.

Larry Poole, also a member of the Coca Cola team, rolled a 595 series for his team last night with games of 202-200-193.

Beier's Broad scored a total of 2552 in another sweepstakes team event last night. Breeding was high pin man for his club with a 562 series.

TEAM EVENTS

Coca Cola	Fr	Ft	F	T
Strub	178	136	138	452
Quaco	163	143	106	412
Hesler	152	136	117	405
Schertner	202	178	235	615
Poole	202	200	193	595
Total	94	94	94	282

Dusing	171	173	112	456
Lepird	136	140	137	413
Snavey	156	176	154	486
J. McCordie	153	145	112	410
Breeding	176	191	195	562
	75	75	75	225
Total	867	900	785	2552

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TO PLAY QUARTER-FINALS IN AAU TOURNEY TONIGHT

Denver, March 21.—(AP)—Quarterfinal bracketing in the National A. A. U. tournament tonight bridge a broad basketball belt stretching from wind-lashed Lake Michigan to the palm-shaded Hollywood hills.

A sellout crowd of close to 7,000 was assured in the flag-draped municipal auditorium for the big "bargain night" in this mile-high city's biggest sports show.

The eight teams from seven states—California has two—numbered the sentimental favorites. Denver's national champion Nuggets and the Bartlesville, Okla., Phillips 66 Powerhouse, runnerup last year and in 1937.

Also on deck was a little college team that has been beaten quite a few times this season and must be a little surprised to be this far along—Idaho university, Southern branch, from Pocatello.

Canada's population is 10,376,000.

KEYSTONE COMBINATION IS SPARKING INDIANS' HOPES

By GAYLE TALBOT

Fort Myers, Fla., March 21.—(AP)—There is a popular baseball saying, tinted faintly with irony, that the Cleveland Indians always win the pennant this time of year.

Nevertheless, when three Cleveland baseball writers greeted this visitor like money from home and demanded to bet him that the Indians finish ahead of the Boston Red Sox in the coming American League race, they at least aroused a suspicion that something might be going on.

It wasn't too difficult to discover what the boys were excited about. Though he at first attempted to laugh the matter off as childish fancy on the part of his writing corps, Manager Oscar Vitt soon broke down and admitted that they probably were thinking about his new keystone combination—Louis Boudreau at shortstop and Ray Mack at second base.

This young pair joined the Indians from Buffalo last season and their performance was sensational. Inspired by their fielding, the Indians won 19 of their last 23 games to finish a fast closing third behind Boston.

Problem Appears Solved

"I guess the boys think that with Boudreau and Mack in there

all the way we ought to beat the Red Sox this time," said Oscar. "I'll admit it looks like we've solved our biggest problem. Mack isn't much of a hitter, but he and Boudreau are such great fielders and so fast on double plays that I'm almost willing to overlook his hitting. Besides, I'll have Oscar Grimes ready to step in for Mack if it develops that we need a little more punch."

Boudreau is out at present with a chipped ankle bone, while Grimes slowly is recovering from a recent knee operation, but Vitt expects both to be ready by the start of the campaign. Mack looks better in the field day after day, frequently making acrobatic stops that rival Joe Gordon of the Yankees as he gains confidence.

With Hal Trosky at first and Ken Keltner on third, it looks like the Indians might finally have an infield to rival either the Yankees or the Red Sox. They still lack the batting power of either of their principal rivals, but their pitching is better than Boston's.

Oscar was asked if his club looked good enough to beat the Red Sox, then why mightn't it go right on and tumble the Yanks? "Now, now," interrupted the Indian pilot. "Let's take one at a time."

TRACK SEASON AT AMBOY TO OPEN APRIL 5

The track season at Amboy Township high school will begin April 5 with an interclass meet during which Coach Jim Dominetta will keep close tab on the boys who show the greatest promise for the first outside competition with Franklin Grove on April 12.

This season Coach Dominetta is working with about 40 candidates who will be given outdoor practice as soon as King Winter relents.

"Prospects," says the mentor, "are not good as we lost several outstanding boys from last year's squad." However, five lettermen are returning for the 1940 season and they include Bill Schneider (high jump); Mark Salzman (mile); Bob Welty (hurdles); Donald Reed (dashes) and Ray Price (pole vault).

In addition to the Franklin Grove meet at Amboy on April 12, the schedule includes: Polo at Amboy, April 19; Amboy at Mendota, April 24; open date on April 26; conference meet at Rochelle on May 4; district meet May 11; state meet May 18.

CUNNINGHAM MAY END SEASON IN BLAZE OF GLORY

Chicago, March 21.—(AP)—Glenn Cunningham, whose record across the years ranks him as the greatest miler of all time, may wind up his indoor track career in an appropriate blaze of glory in the Chicago Relays Bankers Mile race Saturday night.

It was eight years ago, in this same event that Glenn first hit the invitational circuit, winning the mile title to open a brilliant track saga. Now that he has announced his intention of retiring after the 1940 outdoor season, the remarkable Kansan may be running his final indoor mile Saturday— and conceivably could garnish this appearance with one of his greatest performances.

Cunningham will run the Bankers Mile against Charles (Chuck) Fenske, Wisconsin graduate student, Archie Sam Roman and Gene Venzke. That field shapes up as good enough to threaten records anywhere. Racing on the speedy, kiln-dried spruce track at the International amphitheater, it stands a chance of shattering Fenske's best time this season, 4:07.4 which he twice attained last month.

Undoubtedly Cunningham will be the sentimental favorite Saturday, but records point to Fenske as the winner.

Cunningham's 4:04.4 mile at Dartmouth in 1938 was the fastest mile ever run. This winter he made his best time while finishing second to Fenske Feb. 3 in the Millrose games.

Track records are expected to topple in wholesale fashion Saturday night. Greg Rice, holder of the world's two mile record of 8:56.2, Don Lash, Walter Mehl, recent two-mile victor over Taisto Maki, Tommy Deckard and Joe McCuskey will run in the two mile event.

Some psychologists say a person's interest in life can be measured by his newspaper reading habits. If he finds at least one story of interest to him on each page, he probably lives a "well-rounded life."

Down The ALLEYS

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

The league-leading Manhattan Keglers won two games last night from the United Cigars at the Dixon Recreation where Worley rolled a 574 series to pace the winners and Biemer counted 519 for the smokers.

The Blackhawks won two games from the second place Beier's Broad team. Plowman rolled 577 to lead the Hawks and McCordie counted 516 for the doughboys.

Boynnton-Richards, third place team in the league won two games from the Hi-Way Grill. Miller's 581 was high for the clothiers and Klein counted 581 for the losers.

M. Potter 573 paced his quintet in the two-game victory over the James Billiards team. Dysart counted 490 for the losers.

High games last night included those of Worley 216, Baker 207, Kienan 208, Plowman 219, Lepird 201, Miller 204, Klein 204, M. Potter 222.

Standings

Team	W	L
Manhattan Cafe	43	32
Beier's Broad	41	34
Boynnton-Richards	41	34
James Billiards	36	39
Potters	36	39
Hi-Way Grill	35	40
United Cigars	34	41
Blackhawks	33	42

Team Records

High team game	W	L
Hi-Way Grill	1089	
High team series	W	L
Hi-Way Grill	3038	

Individual Scores

High ind. game	W	L
Hi-Way Grill	274	
High ind. series	W	L
Hi-Way Grill	684	

Rosecrans ..	158	163	135—	456
Badger	163	153	207—	523
Dwyre	152	179	152—	483
Worley	216	168	190—	574
	77	77	77—	231
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Total	947	920	859—	2826

United Cigars				
Keenan	157	208	149	514
Kiefer	139	146	138	423
Gionnoni	169	157	187	513
Bremer	147	199	173	519
Fitzsimmons	136	137	163	436

	107	107	107—	321
Total . . .	855	954	917—	2726
Blackhawks				
Plowman ..	219	188	170—	577
Corso	154	118	163—	435
Millard . . .	132	138	188—	458

Milnerd	152	138	188	478
Legore	177	178	148	503
Davis	178	152	156	486
	152	152	152	456
Total	1012	926	977	2915

Belers Bread

Dusing	169	148	158—	475
Lepird	173	121	201—	495
Snavely ...	175	134	160—	469
McCardle ...	183	155	178—	516
Breeding ...	134	178	199—	511
	98	98	98—	294

Total	932	834	994	2760
Boynton-Richards				
Schroeder	170	173	161	504
Shaulis	134	183	177	494
Gerdes	194	148	133	475
Hackett	166	140	187	493

Miller	204	199	178—	581
		81	81	81—	243
Total	949	924	917—	2790
Hi-Way Grill					
J. Smith	...	197	142	195—	534
		142	168	180—	510

Poole	113	136	180	518
F. Smith	159	160	184	503
Klein	204	180	197	581
Daschbach	164	185	169	518
	34	34	34	102
Total	901	897	959	2757

Total

925	886	844	2655
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TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE

7 p. m.—Commercial League
Coca vs. Hi-Way Grill
Rubeys vs. Round-Up
Sparkys vs. Rink
Teds vs. In and Outers

BLIL DELANCY SCORES FIRST SUCCESS OF HIS COMEBACK

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 21.—(AP)—Bill DeLancy, former St. Louis Cardinal catcher who was forced by illness to take a five-year recess from baseball in 1935, has scored the first success in his major league comeback.

The Cardinals announced last night that DeLancy, who had a great season with the 1934 world champions, again is a full-fledged member of the club. His contract will be purchased from Sacramento.

The St. Louis club announced purchase of Outfielder Morris Jones from the New York Giants.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

San Francisco.—Lloyd Deluch, 163, San Francisco, knocked out Bobby Murphy, 157, Long Beach, (7).

New Haven, Conn.—George Pepe, 148, Meriden, Conn., and Frank Young, 149, New Haven, drew, (6).

DRAKE RELAYS

Des Moines, Iowa, March 21.—(AP)—Nearly 1,000 universities, colleges and high schools have been invited to the 31st annual Drake Relays here April 26 and 27. Director Franklenn (Pitch) Johnson announced today.

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Green Appeals to Women to Restore Good Government

Moline, Ill., March 21.—"The women of America will celebrate the twentieth year of their suffrage this year, and if ever the time has come for them to do the house-cleaning that was expected of them, 1940 is that year," stated Dwight H. Green, candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, today as he addressed a luncheon meeting of Rock Island women here.

"This will be the fifth opportunity for women to cast their ballot for governor of the state of Illinois. It is their duty and obligation, as the guides and mentors of the children who will be the citizen voters of tomorrow, to restore to our youth their heritage of free enterprise, decent government, and equal opportunity for so long denied them by the self-seeking politicians who put personal gain and political machines ahead of their country."

Hold Balance of Power

"It is within the power of the women of Illinois to break the strangle hold which machine politics has upon our state," Green said. "The balance of power between good government and bad government lies in their hands. They know the tax burden that has been placed upon the future of their children. They know the effect upon the educational institutions that has resulted from the hand of spoils politics. They know the defeatism and despair of the WPA and relief which have gripped the husbands of their neighbors and which unfold a hopeless future before their own children."

"They know the graft and corruption that have reached into the departments of our state administration bringing about episodes like Manteno and St. Charles. They know the waste and inefficiency of relief and the injustice of the old age pension; the shocking conditions in our state institutions for the care of the mentally and physically handicapped; and the startling increase in juvenile delinquency; these are old stories to the women of Illinois."

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Joe Penner—WLS
8:00 Major Bowes' Hour — WBBM
Good News of 1940 — WMAQ
8:15 Heidelberg Concert—WGN
Ted Weems' Orch.—WENR
8:30 Town Meeting—WENR
Rudy Vallee Show—WMAQ
9:00 Music Hall—WMAQ
Glenn Miller's Orch. — WBBM
Ozzie Nelson's Orch.—WGN
9:30 Henry Weber's Concert Orch.—WGN
9:45 Todd Hunter—WBBM
10:00 Fred Waring—WMAQ
Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Ten O'Clock Final—WENR
10:15 Preston Bradley—WMAQ
Mitchell Ayres' Orch. — WBBM
Dick Jurgens' Orch.—WGN
10:30 Lou Breeze's Orch.—WMAQ
Jack McLean's Orch. — WGN
WGN Crosby's Orch. — WBBM
11:00 Larry Clinton's Orch. — WMAQ

FRIDAY

12:00 The Goldbergs—WBBM
Radio's Voice—WGN
Mail Bag—WOC
12:15 Life Can Be Beautiful — WBBM
Ellen Randolph—WMAQ
Taylor Orch.—WJJD
12:30 The Right to Happiness — WBBM
Romantic Rendezvous — WMAQ
12:45 The Road of Life—WBBM
Tonic Tunes—WOC
1:00 Lanny Ross—WBBM
Light of the World — WMAQ
Ginsburgh's Concert Orch.—WGN
1:15 Arnold Grimm's Daughter—WMAQ
Eddie & Fannie—WCFL
Midday Roundup—WJJD
1:30 Valiant Lady—WMAQ
What's in a Name?—WCFL
Troubadors—WGN
Your Family and Mine — WBBM
1:45 Betty Crocker—WMAQ
My Son and I—WBBM
Santella's Orch.—WJJD
Yar Concert Orch.—WGN
Spotlight Program—WCFL
2:00 Orphans of Divorce—WLS
Hits and Encores—WOC
Story of Mary Marlin — WMAQ
Marriage License Romances — WGN
2:15 Ma Perkins—WMAQ
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill — WLS
Golden Gate Quartet—WOC
2:30 Chagagoans—WBBM
Pepper Young's Family—WMAQ
Rhumba Cafe—WCFL
2:45 Vic and Sade—WMAQ
Between the Bookends — WCFL
3:00 Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Club Matinee—WENR
Editor's Daughter—WBBM
3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ
Men Behind the Stars — WOC
Melody Time—WGN
3:30 Manhattan Mother—WBBM
Organ Moods—WOC
Rhythm Rascals—WOC
Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
3:45 Young Widder Brown — WMAQ
Rhythm for Tea—WJJD
Linda's First Love—WBBM
4:00 Girl Alone—WMAQ
Trenadier's Quartet—WGN
Kathleen Norris—WBBM
4:15 Golden Store—WBBM
Midstream—WMAQ
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Kitty Keene—WMAQ
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Grade School Bands of District Will Meet in Sterling Next Friday

Bands, soloists, ensembles and baton twirlers from 15 counties in northern Illinois, comprising the northwest district of the Illinois Grade School Band Association, will hold their annual contest in Sterling on Friday, March 29. Counties in the district include Lee, Whiteside, Boone, Winnebago, Stephenson, Jo Daviess, Carroll, Ogle, DeKalb, Mercer, Henry, Bureau, LaSalle, Putnam and Rock Island.

Between 75 and 100 entries, including 60 soloists, have been received for the solo, ensemble and baton twirling contests, which will be held during the morning and afternoon at the Central school. In the evening, six or more bands will compete for honors at the Coliseum.

The judge will be Charles S. Peters of Joliet, who was judge of brass instruments in a district high school contest held recently at Morrison. Winners in each division will be held during the morning and afternoon at the Central school. In the evening, six or more bands will compete for honors at the Coliseum.

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THIS AND THAT

Joliet—James Feiston put up \$2000 for freedom while waiting trial for driving after drinking.

Princeton—Last October Joseph Lara and John Castro were arrested. Castro will be in jail for 10 days and pay costs of \$31.40 for drunken driving, the charge against Lara was dismissed. Joseph Strickmaker is working out a fine for intoxication.

Chicago — Ralph Riddle was drunk, his car struck a 60 year old man and his 6 year old grandson returning from church. Riddle is charged with intoxication, leaving the scene of an accident and reckless driving. 10 days will be spent in the city jail by Selma

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5:15 Hedda Hopper's Hollywood —WBBM
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5:30 Kaltenborn—WBBM
Cameo Theater—WCFL
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5:45 Adventures of Tom Mix —WENR
The World Today—WBBM
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Jack Kelly's Orch.—WCFL
Lowell Thomas—WLW

Evening
6:00 Musical Entree—WMAQ
Organ Moods—WENR
6:15 Lull and Abner—WBBM
Melody Time—WCFL
I Love a Mystery—WMAQ
Concert Miniature—WENR
6:30 Prof. Quiz—WBBM
7:00 Frank Black's Orch.—WMAQ
This Amazing America —WLS
Kate Smith—WBBM
Col Stoopnagle—WGN
7:30 Lone Ranger—WGN
Buckaroos—WLS
8:00 Entertainment Party—WENR
Waltz Time—WMAQ
Novena—WCFL
Johnny Presents—WBBM
8:30 What Would You Have Done?—WENR
What's My Name? —WMAQ
First Nighter—WBBM
Irene Rich—WMAQ
Grand Central Station —WBBM
9:30 Melody Marathon—WLW
Behind the Headlines —WMAQ
Believe It or Not Ripley —WBBM
10:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Ten O'Clock Final—WENR
Pleasure Time—WMAQ
10:15 Jack McLean's Orch.—WGN
Todd Hunter—WBBM
Richard Himber's Orch.—WMAQ
10:30 Dick Jurgens' Orch.—WGN
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West Brooklyn

School to Sponsor Dance

On April 3, the West Brooklyn high school is sponsoring a spring dance. It will be held at St. Mary's hall. The dance is the first of its kind that the school has ever undertaken. It will last from 9 to 12. Favors and refreshments will be added features. The community is invited to attend and help cooperate with the high school project.

Students Enter Contest

This is the first year that the high school has been in the Illinois high school speech league. Miss Rowe has coached the students and entered them in this league. The contest will be held at Mendota on March 30. The following are the students entering: Roger Bieschke, original orator, titled "Living Together"; Betty Jane Jones, verse speaking, a soliloquy from Shakespeare's "All the World's a Stage"; Alice Gehant, oratorical declamation, titled "The New Woman"; Oneida Irwin, humorous reading taken from "The Birds' Christmas Carol."

Foresters Communion

Eighty-two members of St. Mary's court of Foresters gathered at their club rooms on Sunday morning and marched to St. Mary's Catholic church in a body to receive their Easter communion. After the church services breakfast was served at the club rooms.

Women's Club

Eleven members of the Domestic Science club met at the home of Mrs. Mary Gehant on Wednesday evening for their regular meeting. After the business session readings were given by Mrs. Gehant and Miss Lolita Koehler. This club was organized 25 years ago and plans are being made to observe the silver anniversary of the club. Guests were Misses Dorothy and Bernice Untz. In a contest Mrs. Ray Walker was awarded the prize. Lovely refreshments were served. Mrs. Georgia Knauer will entertain this club in two weeks.

Silver Thimble Club

Mrs. Charles Schnuckel Jr. was hostess to members of the Silver Thimble club at her home on Thursday afternoon. The diversion of the afternoon was 500, for which prizes were awarded to Mrs. Raymond Ladenburger and Mrs. Ruth Vickrey. Delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. Dorothy Eich will entertain the club at her home in three weeks.

St. Mary's Church

Rev. Bradley, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church, has announced Easter services as follows: low mass at 8 o'clock. High mass with sermon and Benediction at 10 o'clock with the senior choir singing the mass. Stations of the Cross on Good Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock and in the evening at 7:30. On Friday and Saturday there will be services at 8 A. M. at the church.

C. O. F. Bowling Tournament

Standings of teams: W L Toot's Tavern 45 18 Bankers 39 24 Barbers 37 26 Viola Tigers 34 29 Royal Blue 32 31 International 30 33 Blue Ribbon 30 33 House of David 30 33 All-Star 29 34 Lee Center Cubs 26 37 Viola Rams 24 39

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Birth

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Bresson at the Compton hospital on Wednesday, March 13. The child will be given the name of Roland Elliott.

Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walter and son Gery entertained the basketball team, cheerleaders, Miss Rowe and Miss Koehler at a dinner Tuesday evening, March 12 in their home.

Mr. Walter presented awards to the team. Major letter awards went to Lester Koehler, Arthur Michel, Robert Gehant, Walter Metzger, Francis Ege, and Berthyl Austin. Lester Koehler received a star for being captain this year. Robert Gehant and Walter Metzger purchased school sweaters. Minor awards went to Gene Gehant, Roger Bieschke, and Irvin Vincent. Robert Gehant was elected captain for the year of 1940-41.

The evening was spent in playing bingo, cards and a question box contest.

Card Club Meets

Mrs. Fred Brown was hostess to the Happy Housewives card club at her home on Thursday afternoon. The ladies played their usual number of games for which prizes were awarded to Mrs. Nettie Meurer, Miss Sylvia Clopine and Mrs. Effie Mackin. A lovely luncheon was served. This club will meet at the home of Mrs. Kate Gehant in two weeks to resume play.

Card Party

On Tuesday evening, March 26 there will be a card party at the Forester hall for ladies of this community and neighboring towns. Each lady attending is requested to bring some article of food suitable for a scramble lunch. Euchre and 500 will be played.

Wedding Anniversary

Miss Sylvia Clopine pleasantly surprised her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clopine, when she invited a number of guests to the Clopine home to observe their 39th wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in playing 500, prizes being won by Mrs. Laura Nelles, Mrs. John Gallisath, Mrs. Charles Mackin Jr., for the men, Tony Halbmaier, Joseph Schweiger and Lefe Nelles. Lovely refreshments were served. The guests presented Mr. and Mrs. Clopine with a card table. Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Nelles, Mr. and Mrs. John Gallisath, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mackin Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mackin Sr., daughters Helen and Zita, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Halbmaier, Joseph Schweiger, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bonnell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Bonnell of Sublette.

West Brooklyn Locals

Mrs. Francis Loan and daughter of Chicago are spending the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dinges.

Bob Henry of Peru is spending the spring vacation at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fasseig visited with relatives at Mendota on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Pine of Lee visited with friends here on Tuesday and also attended the funeral services of A. L. Derr.

Mrs. Oliver Gehant Jr. and Miss Esther Dolan spent Wednesday shopping in Chicago.

Mrs. George Hahn, daughter Rita Mae and Mrs. Leroy Hahn visited in Mendota on Sunday afternoon.

A ladies bowling team which included Miss Margaret Schnuckel, Mrs. Ruth Vickrey, Miss Fay Danekas, Mrs. Velma Hoerner and Miss Helen Glaser spent Wednesday afternoon in Sublette.

where they met a Sublette team. Mr. and Mrs. William Auchstetter and Miss Oneida Irwin spent Saturday shopping in LaSalle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walter, son Gery visited with relatives in DeKalb on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henry, Mrs. Yvonne Prestegard and son of Dixon visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henry on Sunday.

Bruce and Delbert Bonnell of Sublette spent the past week at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clopine.

Louis Hoerner spent Tuesday morning in Mendota.

Miss Margaret Schnuckel spent a few days of the past week at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vickrey.

Miss Myrtle Hampton visited with friends in Mendota on Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Risley of Dixon spent several days at the home of Mrs. Carrie Halbmaier.

Mrs. Joseph Gehant and Mrs. George Untz spent Wednesday afternoon in Compton where they attended a style show and tea sponsored by the Ladies Aid of Compton.

Miss Helen Gallisath and Richard Jones of Mendota were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weber of near Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walker and son Clyde were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howey of Earlville.

Mrs. Fannie Graf of Dixon is visiting at the home of her brother, Fred Biggart.

Miss Lea Bieschke and Miss Mary Halbmaier are enjoying a week's spring vacation from their classes at the Mendota high school.

Miss Dorothy Marksbury of Mendota visited at the William Long home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harris, Mrs. Lydia Knauer, daughter Phyllis of Rockford were Sunday guests at the William and Jack Wigum home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bauer of Compton visited at the home of Mrs. Mary Oester on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Fay Danekas spent a few days at the home of Miss Irma Walker of Mendota.

William Zinke suffered a fractured ankle on Friday. He was assisting in loading a truck load of hogs when one broke loose and tripped him, causing him to fall. He is able to be about with the aid of crutches.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Henkel of Harmon visited with friends here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Coffey and Miss Marge Hickok of Mendota spent Sunday afternoon at the H. H. Danekas home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Theiss and children of Sublette visited at the home of Mrs. Eliza Gehant on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wigum and Miss Helen Louise Chaon of Aurora visited at the Frank Chaon home on Sunday.

Misses Marge Rowe, Lolita and Zella Koehler were Mendota visitors on Saturday afternoon.

Francis Michel and Otto Gehant accompanied Lee Center high school students to Champaign on Saturday where they

attended the basketball games at the University of Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kleinfall of Spring Valley visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. C. White, Sunday.

Ed Zinke has been ill for the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith.

Ewald Metzger of DeKalb spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Metzger.

William Gehant is quite ill at his home with the flu.

Miss Frances Danekas of Mendota spent the week at the home of her father, H. H. Danekas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Biggart, Dixon, spent Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Graf.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Walter of Lee visited at the Edward Henry home recently.

Robert Gehant was taken to the Harris hospital on Saturday where six stitches were taken to close a badly cut lip. Bob was

helping at the Dinges farm and was opening a gate which closed while he was bending down, and on rising he came in contact with the barb wire on the gate, which caused the injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Fouk were Mendota shoppers on Saturday.

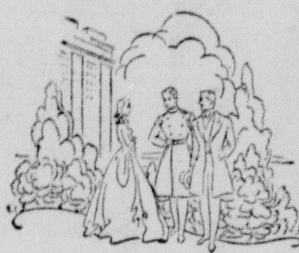
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Merston and daughter of Franklin Grove visited with friends here on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lindemeyer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and daughter Dorothy spent Wednesday in Mendota, where they attended the 50th wedding anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brauhn, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graf of Lee Center spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Graf.

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